

FORECAST—Light winds, fair and mild today and Friday and fog tonight and Friday morning; dense fog in straits.
Sunshine yesterday, 4 hours 48 minutes.

Victoria Daily Times

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Union Cabinet Maitland Plan; Pattullo Silent

A union government consisting of cabinet ministers representing all three parties in the B.C. Legislature was proposed today by Conservative Leader R. L. Maitland, K.C., as a solution for Tuesday's stalemate election.

Mr. Maitland sent his proposal to both Premier T. D. Pattullo and C.C.F. Leader Harold Winch.

Mr. Winch said he had called a meeting of C.C.F. members to consider the suggestion this afternoon and would issue a statement immediately after. Earlier in the day Mr. Winch had given out a statement saying three-party union was impossible and it was expected the other C.C.F. members would support him in this attitude. After the election Mr. Winch proposed that the Liberals and Conservatives form a coalition government, with the C.C.F. as opposition, to avoid the necessity of another election.

(See Winch story page 2.)
Premier Pattullo refused to make any comment on the proposal.

UNITED ENDEAVOR

Mr. Maitland's statement outlining the plan was as follows:

"The present situation demands of all parties a united endeavor to achieve the maximum war effort. I consider it my duty under the circumstances to suggest that the course which has been followed in England, namely, the formation of a government of the three parties, representative of all shades of political thought, be adopted in this province.

"The Liberal, Conservative and C.C.F. parties have all stated, as party principles, that the achievement of the maximum war effort is the principal concern of the province and the country as a whole.

"An opportunity is now afforded the three parties to put into practice this declaration of policy respecting our war effort.

"As leader of the Conservative party I propose that the three parties should agree on the formation of such a government for the duration of the war."

While formal C.C.F. rejection of the idea appeared certain a move for coalition of Liberals and Conservatives gathered force today, and Vancouver reports said this might involve the retirement of Premier Pattullo and

the choice of Finance Minister John Hart as head of the coalition government.

However, with the Premier's own seat in Prince Rupert still in doubt today he declined to make any comment on these possibilities, nor on plans to replace his two defeated cabinet ministers, Attorney-General Gordon Wismer and Provincial Secretary George M. Weir.

MAY STAY

The Premier's post-election statement Wednesday that he intended to go to Ottawa and conclude an agreement on the income tax, which he would submit to the Legislature, was interpreted by political observers to mean that Mr. Pattullo intends to retain office until the House is called and take his chances that with 21 seats out of 48 he will get sufficient support from the other parties to continue as Prime Minister.

The House cannot be called until the first week in December because of delays necessary in getting final counts of the voting and election of members certified. Thus, the political future of the province may remain in doubt for several weeks to come.

On the other hand, there were strong moves under way for the coalition plan. Informed sources said this would involve a complete reshuffling of the cabinet, with probably three or four Conservatives invited into the government.

Attorney-General Wismer, defeated in Vancouver Centre, returned to the capital this morning and talked with the Premier. He said afterwards: "I'll be here a little while yet."

CONSTITUTIONAL VIEW

Constitutionalists pointed out today that Mr. Pattullo has the right to stay in office until it is shown whether he has the confidence of the new Legislature.

When the House meets he could ask for a vote of confidence, and if it was granted his government would remain in power. If it was refused the House's majority support, the government would have to resign and the Lieutenant-Governor would ask someone else to form a government. This would pave the way for a Liberal-Conservative cabinet which would have majority support.

Final Bulletins

Shoot 50 More

VICHY, France (AP)—General Otto von Stuepnagel, German military governor of occupied France, tonight ordered another 50 hostages shot for the slaying of a German officer in Bordeaux October 21.

Lehigh Not Warned

FREETOWN, Sierra Leone (AP)—The commander of the torpedoed U.S. freighter Lehigh said tonight the ship was attacked without warning and that the submarine which sank her disappeared immediately, offering no help for the crew.

Sink Ship a Day

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt (AP)—Officers of the Royal Navy and the R.A.F. said tonight that in the last two months not a single day passed without at least one Axis ship being sunk in the Mediterranean.

Going Gets Tougher

LONDON (AP)—"They'll find the last 38 miles the hardest," said an informed British source tonight, commenting on the Nazi claim that German forces were only 38 miles from Moscow.

Hunt 2-Year-Old

VANCOUVER (CP)—Police, men, soldiers and firemen were searching the Kitsilano district of Vancouver this afternoon for two-year-old Eric Catchpole, missing from his home since Wednesday at noon.

Attack Airdromes

LONDON (AP)—British planes attacked German airdromes near Calais and at Lannion today in a sweep across France, the Air Ministry announced tonight.

Auxiliary Sunk

LONDON (AP)—The Admiralty announced tonight the naval auxiliary vessel Springbank had been sunk. No details were given. Lloyd's Register lists a 5,155-ton British freighter Springbank.

3 Killed, 2 Missing

OTTAWA (CP)—Three men listed as killed on active service overseas and two others were reported missing after air operations in the 92nd casualty list of the war issued this afternoon by the R.C.A.F.

Patriots to Wait

LONDON (AP)—Gen. Charles de Gaulle, Free French leader, in a broadcast tonight asked the men of occupied France "in the present circumstances not to kill the Germans."

"This for the single but very good reason," he explained, "that for the time being it is only too easy for the enemy to retaliate... as soon as it is possible to attack from the outside and from the inside you will receive the appropriate instructions."

Cudahy's Peace Plan

WASHINGTON (AP)—Members of the Senate foreign relations committee reported this afternoon that John Cudahy, former ambassador to Belgium, had suggested that the United States join with Great Britain and France in working out a peace agreement with Germany.

Lawyer Pipsqueak Beecham Cries

SEATTLE (AP)—Sir Thomas Beecham, noted British symphony orchestra conductor, who is leading the Seattle Symphony this season, threw back his head and cried "It's fooling!" As he accepted service of a British government subpoena in a demand for £1,298, the equivalent of \$5,215, in income taxes.

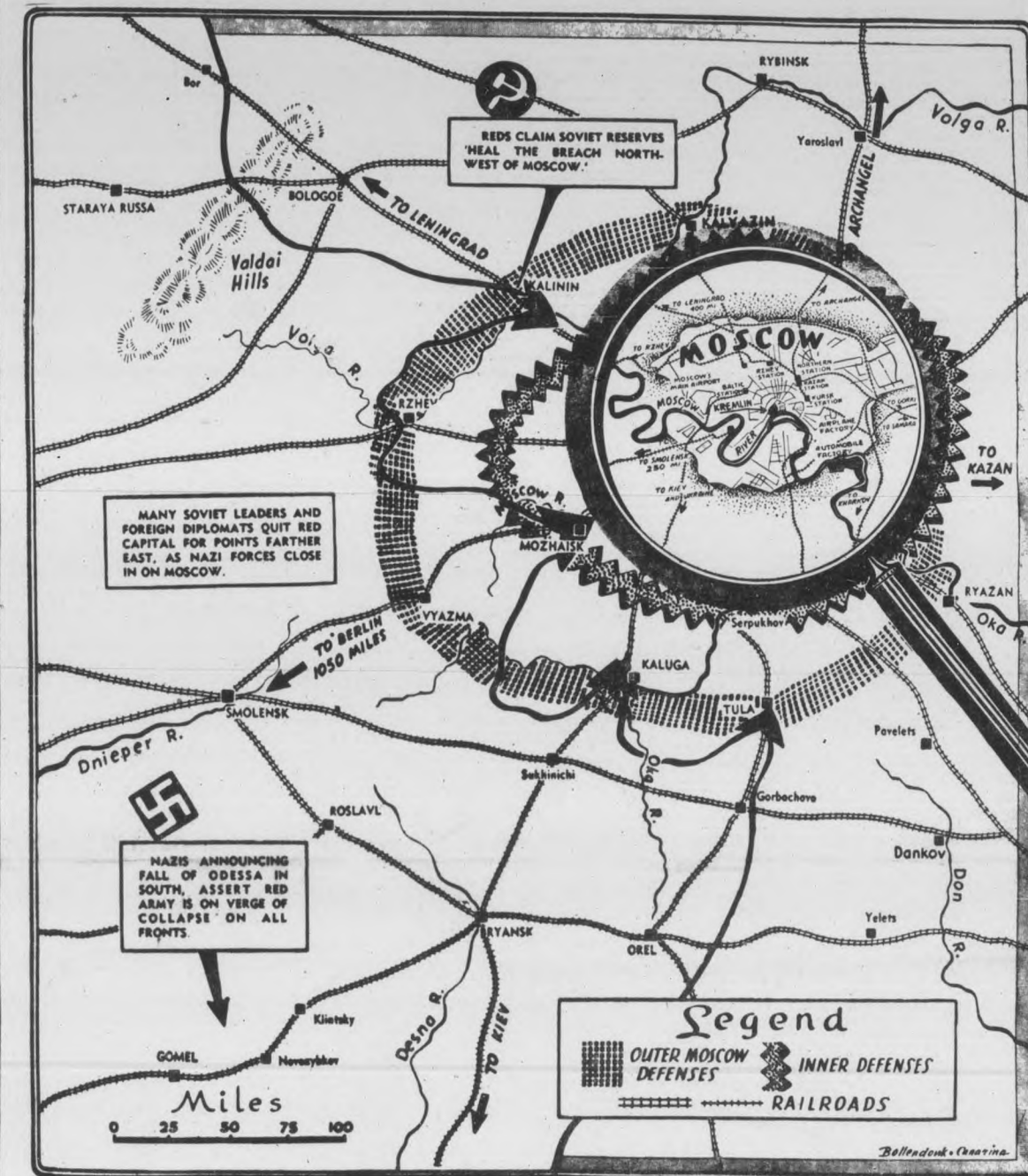
He branded the legal proceedings as "drivel!" and told interviewers that: "The solicitor who represents the British government in this instance is a mosquito of a lawyer; a gadfly!"

"This tuppenny-ha'penny, mut-tonheaded pipsqueak—this solicitor sitting somewhere safely in Wales, miles from the danger of bombing, firing off his harmless little squibs."

"Why, it's an incredible bore!" said Sir Thomas.
(Earlier story page 15.)

Moscow Second Verdun, '20 to 1 Against Capture'

Mighty Fortress System Defends Capital



Associated Press

While the Germans pictured their troops as driving almost to Moscow's suburbs, British informants today said the Russians were turning the Soviet capital into another Verdun and that Nazis were finding the going increasingly difficult.

"It's 20 to 1 they'll never take Moscow this winter," the source declared.

The Moscow radio declared tonight that the Germans were making "a great effort" to advance in the Novgorod sector, 100 miles south of Leningrad, but that all Nazi assaults had been beaten back.

Dispatches said strong German forces were reported striking hard on the southern (Ukrainian) front, jabbing for a soft spot through which to drive into the rich Caucasian oil fields.

Gen. Zhukov

Reorganizes Defences

As the world learned today that Gen. Gregory Zhukov is leading the Russian armies on the central front, Hitler's high command claimed Nazi columns had smashed through Moscow's outer defences on a broad front from the southwest and west and reached several points within 40 miles of the beleaguered capital.

Soviet dispatches said bitter fighting was raging in the barricaded streets of Kalinin, 95 miles northwest of Moscow, and that large forces of fresh Italian, Hungarian and Rumanian troops had been thrown into the southern front battle for the vital Donets River industrial basin.

Russian correspondents said Red troops had fought off the Germans for eight days at Kalinin, with the Nazis hurling masses of men and tanks into the assault.

Every House Defended By Russians

"Now fighting is going on in

the city streets," reported Tass, the official Soviet news agency. "Antitank obstacles and barricades are being erected in the streets. Squares are furrowed by trenches. The struggle goes on for every inch of Soviet land—for every street, for every house. Some city blocks have changed hands several times."

Reports reaching London said the Germans, handicapped by winter's first snows blanketing the Moscow front, were taking to the air with parachute troops in great numbers.

German transport planes were reported landing light tanks, armored cars and small field guns behind the Soviet lines, while Stuka bombers carried out mass raids on Red Army communication lines.

Russian dispatches disclosed the shake-up in the supreme Soviet command on the central front, in which Gen. Zhukov, who had been serving as chief of staff, replaced the veteran Marshal Semeon Timoshenko. Under the new set-up, Gen. Zhukov commands the entire western zone.

The new commander was credited by the Russians with having already tightened Moscow's defences.

Claim Gains Despite Weather

Today's bulletin from Hitler's headquarters claimed the new breakthrough toward Moscow had been made during the past few days, despite bad weather conditions.

Other German dispatches reported extremely bad weather along the whole line of battle today.

The Germans admitted, however, that Soviet troops were battling with stubborn ferocity, and that Nazi divisions freed after mopping-up operations on the Bryansk battlefields, had been sent up as reinforcements for the immediate drive on Moscow.

The BBC today quoted the Moscow radio in reference to continued fighting in Stalino, the Donets basin manufacturing city, which the Germans said Tuesday was captured.

Today's Russian communique said that "after many days of stubborn fighting, when the enemy lost 35,000 dead and wounded," "our troops evacuated Taganrog."

Germany had claimed capture of the city last week-end. Far behind the Ukrainian battle lines, Russian troops fought to retain possession of the Crimea, by-passed by some of Hitler's southern forces on the drive east from the Dnieper.

Germans said a force of 900 tanks had battered Soviet lines southward and claimed Nazi occupation of two Russian villages—Perekop and Artyansk—on the Isthmus of Perekop, a four-mile-wide land link between the Crimea and the Ukraine.

Reuters quoted Pravda, Communist Party organ, as saying great battles were raging at the approaches of the peninsula and the Moscow radio said 5,000 Axis troops were killed in one phase of the offensive.

Red Army units, Reuters said, were compelled to yield some ground under the full weight of a German-Rumanian drive which struck their positions after intensive shelling and bombing.

Urges News Be Kept From Hitler

Labor M.P. Scores Halifax

LONDON (CP)—Viscount Halifax, British ambassador to the United States, was the target of an attack by Aneurin Bevan, Labor, today in the House of Commons.

Referring to remarks attributed to the ambassador on his return to the United States October 1, just before the great German attack west of Moscow, Mr. Bevan said:

"Lord Halifax informed Hitler in the plainest possible language when he was assembling his troops to attack Russia, that he need fear no attack from us... 'How far is a statement of that kind—when Hitler is gathering his forces—from high treason?'"

"The Prime Minister must get rid of some of these men or they will drag him down with them. The time has come for the reconstruction of the government and reconsideration of its policy."

(In New York, October 1, Lord Halifax, asked whether Britain had enough troops to form a bridgehead across the Channel, replied: "The fact that it has not

been done is proof that those who can judge best think the time is not ripe for it.")

William Gallacher, only Communist member of the House, followed Mr. Bevan's attack by saying:

"We betrayed the people of this country when we betrayed the people of Spain and Czechoslovakia. The men who did that are still in the government, and they have got to be cleared out—Halifax, Margesson (War Secretary) and Moore-Brabazon (Minister of Aircraft production)."

Mr. Gallacher complained he had been unable to catch the Speaker's eye.

"Am I to take it, Mr. Speaker, that you are unable to see red?" he asked.

Mr. Eden said Mr. Bevan was "giving a wholly exaggerated significance to the (Halifax) statement."

Explaining Lord Halifax was trying to meet criticism in the American press, the Foreign Secretary said: "It is not always easy even for the most experienced of us to say exactly the right words on an occasion of that sort."

Tug Snohomish Sunk in Fog Off Skipjack Island

Dense fog in the gulf over-night wrecked the 200-foot Victoria tugboat Snohomish at Skipjack Island, off Saturna Island, caused minor collisions between coastwise craft, and generally disrupted interport steamer schedules.

The former United States coastguard cutter Snohomish, owned by the Island Tug and Barge Company of Victoria, piled up on Skipjack Island last night while towing the empty Standard Oil Barge 95, one of the biggest such oil carriers in the world, bound from Vancouver for California.

Capt. Fred Macfarlane of this city was in command of the Snohomish. Saturna Island is about 30 miles from this port.

Feeling her way through the thick blanket of fog the Snohomish turned off East Point, fetched up on Skipjack, and the heavy barge, maintaining way, crashed into her and stove a hole in the tug's side.

The Snohomish settled slowly off the island, and this morning only her funnel was showing above water.

The tug's crew of 20 men, the majority of them Victorians, had plenty of time to make a safe transfer to the barge, anchored off Saturna.

Harold B. Elworthy, manager of the Island Tug & Barge Company, proceeded to the scene of the wreck after arranging for the dispatch of salvage tugs. The sunken tug is salvagable, it was indicated at the company's offices this morning.

Another tug reported sunk was the Petrel of the Fraser Mills fleet. The Petrel was reported ashore at the Steveston Jetty at the entrance to the Fraser River and today she turned over and filled as she lay on the beach.

MAQUINNA IN COLLISION

Canadian Pacific steamer Princess Maquinna, which plies out of Victoria to the west coast of Vancouver Island, was this morning in collision with the West Vancouver ferry Hollyburn, inbound for Vancouver.

Both vessels were proceeding dead slow in the thick fog. The only damage reported was broken railings on the ferry. The Hollyburn carried only a small number of passengers and there were no reports of injury to anyone.

So dense was the fog blanket that the C.P.R. coast steamer Princess Alice, inbound from Seattle, waited overnight at Turn Point, Gulf of Georgia, just a few miles from where the tug Snohomish was wrecked. Another C.P.R. steamer, the Princess Joan, remained at her berth at the Belleville Street docks all night, leaving as the fog broke this morning for Vancouver. She was scheduled to sail from here at midnight.

The Princess Alice failed to reach Vancouver from Seattle until 12:30 this afternoon.

This delay resulted in cancellation of the 4:30 sailing from this port to Seattle, scheduled for 4:30 this afternoon. The Alice, after arrival here, will head back to Vancouver to take the 10:30, sailing from the mainland port to Victoria tomorrow. The trip from Seattle to Vancouver at 11 tonight also is canceled.

The C.P.R. boat, scheduled to sail from Vancouver last midnight, did not get away for that port until 6 this morning.

PLANES GROUNDED

Aircraft was grounded today at Vancouver for the third successive day.

No further Trans-Canada planes had been diverted to Patricia Bay airport here today, although an eastbound flight originated in Victoria yesterday.

Two TCA planes which landed at 4 and 10:30 yesterday at Pen-ticton, Okanagan Valley, left there at 9 this morning for Lethbridge, Crawford Burns, local agent, was advised this morning.

The westbound TCA plane due at Vancouver at 11:35 this morning, was held at Lethbridge.

Assassin Fails

SHANGHAI (AP)—J. B. Powell, American editor of the China Weekly Review and consistent critic of Japan's program in China, narrowly escaped injury or death tonight. A hand grenade thrown by an unidentified assailant hit him on the shoulder but failed to explode. Powell was walking from his office to the American Club in the International Settlement followed by his Chinese bodyguard when the attempt was made.

Premier Pattullo Is Re-elected

Premier Pattullo's election in Prince Rupert was indicated at 2.45 this afternoon. This will give the Liberals a total of 21 seats in the 20th Legislature.

It is possible that changes may be made in several ridings owing to the closeness of the vote.

With Premier Pattullo's return assured the standing of the parties is as follows:

Elected—Liberals 21, C.C.F. 14, Conservatives 12, Labor 1.

In Nelson Creston, where the vote was very close, Frank Putnam, Liberal, was indicated as elected with a two-vote margin in the civilian vote, and a 12-vote margin in the service vote over his Conservative opponent, Mr. C. Donaldson.

Grand Forks-Greenwood also was close and subject to possible upset. Mayor T. A. Love of Grand Forks had 598, and E. C. Henniger, Liberal, 590, in the civilian vote. Mr. Henniger scored 6 to 3 in the soldier vote, reducing his losing margin to 5. The C.C.F. candidate, Alan Clapp, got 333 and 1.

Germans Claim Auranis Sunk

BERLIN (AP)—The German high command claimed today that U-boats had sunk four merchant ships totaling 32,000 tons, including the 14,000-ton troop transport Auranis.

(There was no immediate indication if the Auranis carried any troops.)

(Spokesmen at National Defence Department headquarters in Ottawa said they were "without information" on the Berlin claim.)

Liberals Lead In Popular Vote

Following summary of the popular vote in the British Columbia general election is based in many cases on incomplete returns and is subject to revision:

Votes cast for various parties with comparative figures for the 1937 election in brackets:

Liberals	135,315	(156,074)
Conservative	131,565	(119,521)
C.C.F.	125,878	(119,400)
Others	7,530	(22,934)
Total	400,288	(417,929)
Total registered voters	417,839	(372,781)
Percentage of Lib. votes	33.8	(36.3)
Percentage of Con. votes	32.8	(28.3)
Percentage of C.C.F. votes	31.1	(28.2)
Percentage of others	2.3	(6.6)

In the following districts voters voted for more than one candidate: Vancouver-Burrard, two; Vancouver Centre, two; Vancouver-East, two; Vancouver-Point Grey, three; Victoria City, Three.

CRASHES KILL 8 AVIATORS

L'ABORD A PLOUFFE, Que. (CP)—Four airmen died today in the flaming wreckage of an R.A.F. plane which crashed near here on a flight to Windsor, Ont., from a training station at Debert, N.S.

The charred corpses were taken from the cooling embers more than three hours after the machine had crashed on a farm. They were placed in an R.C.A.F. ambulance which sped towards Montreal.

R.A.F. CRASH

GREAT VILLAGE, N.S. (CP)—A flaming R.A.F. training plane which crashed in this village before dawn today brought almost instant death to the four British airmen operating the craft.

COME to KENTS

If you are interested in the latest ideas and economies of Electric Cooking, The Canadian-made "MOFFAT" is the Electric Range of the day. 411 YATES, BETWEEN BROAD AND DOUGLAS.

Hunters Fined

Convicted of having pheasants in their possession during the closed hunting season, two hunters were fined \$15 and \$2.50 costs and \$10 and \$2.50 costs by Magistrate H. C. Hall in Provincial Police Court Wednesday. The offences occurred near Stelly's Crossroad, Saanich, on August 13 and October 9 last.

FUNERAL ON FRIDAY

DUNCAN—Funeral of the late William Renfrew Smith, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, Tuesday, will be held here Friday afternoon. Rev. H. T. Archbold will officiate, interment in St. Mary's churchyard, Somenos.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AMORC, Rosierucan Order, Victoria Lodge, announce a public lecture will be given at the lodgerooms, 725 Courtenay Street, 8.30 p.m., Thursday, October 23. Subject, "Escape From Life." All are welcome. No admittance fee, no collection.

An exquisite doll with wardrobe and bedding on exhibition at Committee for Medical Aid for China office, 737 Pandora. Have you bought your ticket? Closing date November 15. Sale of lavender, novelties, oddments. Please bring in bandage material.

Budget Fashion Show, also stalls of home cooking, candy and flowers. Sponsored by the Soroptimists Club for their war charities, Crystal Garden, Wednesday, October 29. Doors open 7 p.m.

Jams, jellies, bottled fruits, pickles and Christmas pudding (some in tins ready for shipping) to be sold in aid of bombed-out areas in Great Britain. Sale under auspices of Gordon Head unit of Red Cross, at home of Mrs. C. A. Brodigan, 1028 Verrinder Avenue, Oak Bay Junction, Saturday, October 25. All day and evening from 8.30 a.m.

Popular Saturday night ballroom class for students now in session at Russian Ballet School, 138 Fort St. Telephone E 6821 for enrollment.

Royal Oak Inn, five miles out, Saanich Highway, on way to Butchart's Gardens. Lunches, teas, dinners. Reservations, phone Colquitz 152.

Shawnigan Beach Hotel closed for the season.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, October 28, 2.45 p.m. Speaker, Alfred H. Wharton. Subject, "India's Place in the Sun." Soloist, Mrs. J. A. Bullock, accompanist, Miss Doreen Briggs. 1941 membership tickets must be shown.

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C.C.F. Aloof From Coalition

Archbishop Hails Soviet Comrades

LONDON (CP)—The House of Lords today heard the British people described by the Archbishop of Canterbury as "comrades of the Russian army and people" in the battle against German oppression.

The reference came as the Archbishop, dressed in knee-length frock and gaiters, lent support to the Lords' approbation of the government's help to the beleaguered Red Army.

In the past, the Archbishop explained, he had protested against "oppressive tyrannies, cruelties and persecutions which marked at least the earlier stages of the Russian revolution."

But in recent years the Soviet government, he thought, "had made many modifications and abandoned some mistakes of the earlier regime" in fact, he said. "There are some features of Communism compatible with Christianity. But that could not be said of Nazism."

Criticisms of the past "now are in view of the mighty issues at stake wholly irrelevant," the Archbishop said.

"We are now comrades with the Russian Army and people not only in resisting the unscrupulous and reckless ambitions of Hitler but also in the deeper struggle against the power of evil which perhaps is greater than has ever appeared in human history."

The Archbishop recited what he described as an authenticated series of German cruelties which up to last August had claimed the lives of 180,000 men, women and children and said: "These murders are continuing."

One instance he described was the case of a bomb being tossed into a pit into which 600 dying peasants had previously been thrown.

Standard time was introduced in North America at midnight, November 18, 1883.

VANCOUVER (CP)—Harold Winch, provincial C.C.F. leader, said in a statement today he considered formation of a union government embracing the three major parties in British Columbia an absolute impossibility, and added that Premier T. D. Pattullo should settle the status of his government before leaving for Ottawa this week-end to sign agreements regarding British Columbia's surrender of the income tax field to the federal government.

"The difference in basic fundamentals between the C.C.F. and other parties are too vast to enable them to work together," Mr. Winch said in response to suggestions formation of a union government might correct the situation created by last Tuesday's election, in which the Liberals lost their legislative majority.

"We are prepared to co-operate at all times in matters of public interest, but I don't think a union government would work."

Mr. Winch said: "It's up to Mr. Pattullo and Mr. Maitland (R. L. Maitland, K.C., provincial Conservative leader) to decide whether a coalition government should be formed. But it seems the logical thing to do. Since it is impossible for the Liberals to form a majority government with their own strength I think it would be only common courtesy to the voters for Mr. Pattullo to decide the future of the government before leaving for Ottawa."

"If he determined to go without establishing the form of government that is going to result from the election," the C.C.F. leader said, "I think he should at least consult leaders of the other parties as to his mission and the basis on which he is going to sign on behalf of the province."

LOGGER KILLED

While yarding logs for the Errington Logging Company at Nanossee, Wednesday, Elmer Dutz was accidentally killed, B.C. police headquarters were advised today. Dutz's home is in New Westminster. Inquest will be held today at Nanaimo.

British M.P.'s Debate War Moves

Troops to Ukraine, Raids On Continent Advocated

LONDON (CP)—Foreign Secretary Eden, replying in the House of Commons today to demands for military action, declared that if members could be in closer contact with the fighting services and could be given more information, they would be better able to judge the situation.

"At one time in this country last summer (1940) there was not even one fully trained and equipped division," Mr. Eden said. "Our defences were virtually nonexistent and our Middle Eastern forces lacked practically all modern equipment."

Members sharing in the full-scale debate on the conduct of the war had suggested attacks designed to knock Italy out of the war, night land raids on German-held coasts of the continent and a fighting British stand alongside the Red army in the Ukraine.

Simultaneously Lord Beaverbrook, Minister of Supply, reported to the House of Lords on the conference in Moscow in which Britain and the U.S. pledged aid to Russia. (Story on Page 3.)

Mr. Eden, referring to statement by a speaker in the Commons debate that the government lacked the confidence of the country or of the House, said:

"This is a serious charge, and the government gives the member making it the liberty to challenge the government in the division lobbies."

British Army Sends Russia Arms

Pointing out that equipment was being sent to Russia at the expense of the British army, Mr. Eden said he was "not enamored of the phrase 'help for Russia,' because it is help to a common victory that we want. The whole cause is one cause."

"I can only give this House one pledge, and it is a pledge I assure them the government is deter-

miner to honor," the foreign secretary continued. "We are going to give Russia every help in our power by every means."

"We realize what opportunities this German attack offers us," he said on behalf of the government, but added that to tell what plan of action will be taken "would be playing into the hands of the enemy."

A number of speakers felt not enough was being done to aid Russia.

Suggests Italy Be Knocked Out

A majority of those taking part in the debate, however, agreed that a large scale invasion landing on the continent would stand little chance of success, but Cmdr. Stephen King-Hall, Labor, asserted that "Germany has an appendage called Italy and that opens up vital possibilities."

Col Josiah Wedgwood, another Labor member, suggested there were "at least 100 places" along the European coast where British troops could force landings in night raids.

A Labor front bench, Philip Noel-Baker, said "this country is ready for any sacrifice to help the Russians... the army wants to fight."

No longer the Rhine, but the Volga and the Don are Britain's frontier, he said, expressing the belief "the government's greatest mistake was not seeing the total identity of interests between our allies and ourselves."

While praising Prime Minister Churchill for refusing to discuss questions of strategy, he declared "there is deep and widespread anxiety about the war in Russia and what British forces have done to help Russia in her hour of need."

From Middle-East To Ukraine Front

"We now have powerful forces in the Middle East," he said, "and I believe our people would

be very happy if some part of these forces could be sent to support Russian armies in the Ukraine."

"While our fighters are doing grand work here, they could be better employed in Russia if we wanted to smash the power of the Luftwaffe (German air force), and we must get Spitfires up against Stukas in land battles wherever we can."

He said strong forces of fighters defending Moscow do "four times more" than could be done from this side.

Turning to supplies, he asserted Russia must be assured a continual stream and added:

"For four months our forces have held back crazy militarists in Tokyo from breaking the Russian lifeline to America..."

"The people of this country are ready to take grave risks for Russia. Let the government be very certain whatever they decide and the nation will see them through."

Mr. Eden said that Mr. Noel Baker in listing help given to Russia had omitted "the Royal Navy. It had helped 'not only directly in conveying supplies but indirectly in attacks it has been making, not much publicized but effective attacks upon Germany's lines of supply in the north to the troops attacking Russia.'"

6-Month Jail Term

ZEBALLOS, B.C. (CP)—George Dath, miner, today started serving a sentence of six months in jail, imposed by Magistrate Thomas Dawson when he was convicted yesterday of a charge of supplying liquor to Indians.

Dath was arrested by provincial police following investigation of a drinking bout here last Saturday, after which John Tom, one of a party of four Indians, was drowned when a launch capsize on route from here to Nootka, B.C.

Open Question Of Bargaining

OTTAWA (CP)—Withdrawal of Kirkland Lake mine operators from a board of conciliation hearings opened the whole question of dealing with collective bargaining, the board said in a report issued today by Labor Minister McLarty.

"The withdrawal technique," together with doubt as to jurisdiction under the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act, "would seem to leave the broad question of collective bargaining to be dealt with by Parliament or the cabinet council rather than by the old process of conciliation boards under the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act," the board's report said.

Recommending that the local union of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, a C.I.O. affiliate, be recognized as the bargaining agent, the conciliation board report said, "We are under no illusion that the recommendation is likely to

be more than a mere formality. The manner in which the case of the mine operators was conducted leaves little if any doubt on that proposition."

The conciliation board was appointed as a result of a dispute over recognition of the Kirkland Lake Mine and Mill Workers' Union, wage increases, hour adjustments and other conditions of employment.

Halifax Statement Termed Deplorable

LONDON (CP)—Lord Davies today told the House of Lords that many in Britain did not understand why there were no large scale British hit-and-run raids along the 2,000 miles of enemy-held European coastline.

The cumulative results of such raids might be important, he said. "That seems to be the opinion of Gen. McNaughton of Canada," he said. "We should not be dominated by a Maginot complex. Fear of invasion should not paralyze the offensive action of our force."

Lord Davies said "the bad impression had been given by Lord Halifax when he declared invasion of the continent was not at present possible." It was deplorable, the peer said, that such a statement should have been broadcast.

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Italian Claims

ROME (AP)—The Italian high command claimed today its fliers effectively machine-gunned the Micabba airfield on Malta Wednesday and shot down six British Hurricane fighters in flames in a later aerial action.

It reported there were no Fascist losses and that another aerial blow was struck at the Malta field last night.

Some British prisoners were captured in local actions at Tobruk, Libya, the high command said. The British also "suffered losses," it said, in Ethiopian skirmishing.

(None of these actions was mentioned in British sources.)

Timoshenko Out

Zhukov Tightens Moscow Defences

By HENRY C. CASSIDY

KUIBYSHEV, Russia (AP)—Gen. Gregory K. Zhukov has supplanted Marshal Semeon Timoshenko in supreme command of the western zone, it was disclosed today (Wednesday) and his forces were credited already with having tightened Moscow's defence despite the admitted numerical superiority of German tanks and infantry being hurled in mass assaults at the approaches of the city.

Zhukov, chief of the Soviet general staff and commander of the western army before Moscow, was praised by Pravda, the Communist Party newspaper, as a "fighting, experienced leader" and as a soldier of "immense energy."

There was no report here of a new post for Timoshenko.

(An authoritative source in London said Timoshenko had

been transferred to another post, but said he could not divulge the nature of his new assignment.

(After the German invasion began last June 22, Premier Stalin divided responsibility for the defence among a triumvirate of marshals—Timoshenko in the centre, flanked by Kliment Voroshilov on the north, entrusted now with the defence of Leningrad, and Semeon Budenny, commanding the hard-pressed southern wing of the Red army in the Ukraine.

ARTEMIEV GARRISON HEAD
(Stalin last Sunday announced Zhukov's new appointment and said he should have charge of "defence and policing at the approaches of Moscow." At the same time Lt.-Gen. Artemiev was assigned to command the city garrison. Nothing was said of Timoshenko.)

Pravda said Zhukov had served the Red army for 26 years, start-

ing as a private, and that his "gallantry and courage are widely known."

"Around him," it said, "there is intense organizational and military work without undue noise and boastfulness or unnecessary words."

Moscow was described as an armed camp with strong reserve forces in it and its environs.

Front line dispatches Wednesday night described the position of the Red Army line near Maloyaroslavets, 65 miles south-west of Moscow, as serious, but the Russians were said to have launched counterattacks in an effort to stem the Nazi drive.

The Red Army line was said to be holding in the Mozhaisk vicinity, 57 miles west of Moscow.

At a third point in the great battle for Russia's capital, street fighting was said to be raging in a city designated only as "N," where, it said, six days of combat already have cost the Germans 3,800 men killed and wounded, 48 tanks, 65 vehicles, 80 motorcycles and 15 guns.

The city was not originally prepared for defence, these reports said, but the Russians took positions in every house to fight off tanks and bombers.

The Germans were acknowledged to have captured the centre of the city, but the Russians said they were holding the outskirts and beginning artillery action.

STALLED AT OREL

The battle in the Orel sector, on the highway from Kiev, 200 miles south of Moscow, still continues, with the Germans stalled, the Red Army declared.

Its dispatches said a German effort to break through toward Moscow had failed, at a cost of 150 German tanks and more than a regiment of infantry, even though one Nazi wedge had sliced into the Russian lines.

"Every Soviet city and village must become an impregnable fortress," a Pravda editorial said. "Every person who yields to enemy provocation, or interferes with the cause of defence by panic, cowardice or disorganization in the rear, must be tried immediately by a military tribunal."

A military court in Moscow sentenced three executives of a shoe factory to death, and committed two others to prison for 10 years on charges of absconding with factory property, it was announced today.

Duke of Bedford Must Stay Home

LONDON (CP)—The pacifist Duke of Bedford, who went to Dublin in March, 1940, and returned with purported German "peace proposals"—later repudiated by Berlin—has come in for barbed comment in the House of Commons.

Home Secretary Herbert Morrison, replying to criticism of his embargo on travel to Eire and Northern Ireland, said there was "one noble lord I have not detained, but so long as I am Home Secretary and so long as his opinion and activities are what they are, he will not go to Dublin again—he is the Duke of Bedford."

The duke's name was injected into the proceedings by left-winger John McGovern, who stirred up a Commons controversy because he recently was refused permission to visit Northern Ireland.

Mr. McGovern said the duke went to Dublin "for the express purpose of meeting the German minister" and claimed he had permission of Viscount Halifax, then Foreign Secretary and now ambassador to the United States.

OBJECTED TO SPEECHES

Commenting on the debate, the duke said he had journeyed to the Eire Capital "with Lord Halifax's 'private permission,' but that the government 'wrecked any chance of success of a negotiated peace by the very warlike speeches Halifax and other ministers made afterwards.'"

He added the position of Britain and her allies would be "much less desperate" if the chance had been taken then. "I think that probably in six months' time I could say that with greater emphasis," he added.

The Duke of Bedford made his trip to Dublin when he was Lord Tavistock. He became Duke of Bedford following the death of his father four months later.

At that time the government acknowledged receipt of the reported peace proposals through him, but said that he was acting on his own and "not in any way" on behalf of the government.

Canada and the United States are estimated to possess 60 per cent of the world's coal deposits.

NEW CABINET FOR ICELAND

REYKJAVIK, Iceland (AP)—Prime Minister Hermann Jonsson and his coalition cabinet of four resigned because of a disagreement over policy toward a war-engendered rise in living costs in neutral Iceland.

The resignation came after a parliamentary crisis forced by the Progressive Party's attempt to pass a bill to control prices, which are rising rapidly as a result of the occupation by British and United States troops.

The ministers had governed Iceland since April 18, 1939.

Regent Sveinn Boheirnsson accepted the resignation, but asked the government to remain in office until a new cabinet was formed because "these are difficult times."

Resigning with the Prime Minister and Eysteinn Jonsson, Minister of Commerce, were Independent Olafur Thors, Minister of Industry and Communications; Social Democrat Stefan Johann Stefansson, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Social Welfare, and Independent Jakob Moeller, Minister of Finance.

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Beaverbrook Reports

Britain, U.S. to Make Up Red Tank, Plane Losses

LONDON (CP)—Lord Beaverbrook told the House of Lords today the United States and British missions to Russia had promised Josef Stalin to make up Russia's losses in tanks and planes in the war against Germany by shipments from their two countries.

The Minister of Supply and head of the British mission to Moscow, declared Russia has lost textile, munitions and heavy machine industries of great value and compared the U.S.S.R.'s position with that of Britain after Dunkerque.

MATERIALS FROM RUSSIA

Lord Beaverbrook, who recently returned from the Moscow consultations with Stalin and W. Averell Harriman, head of the American mission, disclosed Stalin promised Great Britain raw materials from Russia to meet "many of our needs," and said the Russian leader had "agreed to supply us with pitch, chrome, potash, magnesite, potassium, timber and canned salmon."

"We promised him aluminum, copper, lead, zinc, brass, phosphorus and shellac... The Americans promised oil and petrol from the United States, and that was very gratifying."

WAR OF TANKS

"Stalin told us this war was being decided by tanks. He said it was a tank war. I asked him about aircraft, but he replied that it was essentially a tank war."

Lord Beaverbrook said "we have made available the October quota of all things promised by us in the agreement signed in Moscow."

He said he had received information from the United States along similar lines on the tripartite pact, reading "United States promises are being fulfilled."

"We have forwarded a considerable quantity of wheat," he said, "wheat that has come out of our own stocks in Canada... We are also shipping large quantities of sugar taken from our own stocks in Britain."

REDS NEED ALUMINUM

Describing Russian industrial losses as heavy, he added: "Aluminum losses were more serious. Stalin told me that we must expect a considerable drain on our aluminum resources if we were to sustain the Russians."

He said Britain had plenty of raw materials and tools, but machine tool output would have to be increased.

"We have no right to demand from the United States any very great flow of machine tools in the future. Night shifts must be started everywhere," he said.

RECONSTRUCTION

The situation in Russia is "grave," he said, "but I believe Russia will be able to reconstruct her industrial resources just as we achieved that result under our Prime Minister."

"Stalin told me Russian industries had to move back."

The textile industry was concentrated around Moscow which is under enemy fire so that industry must be damaged to some extent, Lord Beaverbrook explained.

TANK PLANT LOST

In Moscow are the two principal small arms factories in the Soviet Union. Russia has lost one important locomotive works which was making tanks at Bryansk.

but we should not be too depressed by them," he said.

"Stalin said there was no improvement in the German types of aircraft."

DISTRIBUTE TANKS

He revealed that German armored units have changed their tactics in the attack on Russia saying:

"Stalin told us of many changes in German tactical methods. They no longer concentrated their tank units but distributed them among infantry units."

"What the Germans did was to build up around the damaged tanks a rampart of earth, making them strong points from which the troops could make sallies."

"Stalin also told us no German tanks had appeared on the Russian front with heavier armor than three inches and that enemy tanks varied from one to two and a half inches, with only one-inch armor on top."

He said Stalin showed immense knowledge of all types and one of the chief factors which resulted in a speedy close of the conference was that "he only asked for goods urgently required... and did not ask for everything he could get hold of."

British and American missions to Moscow promised Stalin to restore all tanks and airplanes that Russia had lost up to the time of the conference, he said.

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How the Votes Went

ALTHOUGH IT IS NATURALLY BASED on incomplete returns, the early summary of the popular vote in Tuesday's provincial elections furnishes an interesting commentary on the new division of political strength in the next Legislature. This is how the ballots were distributed, the figures in parentheses representing the allocation of votes in the general election of 1937:

Liberal	135,315	(156,074)
Conservative	131,565	(119,521)
C.C.F.	125,878	(119,400)
Others	7,330	(22,934)
Total	400,288	(117,929)

The percentage of Liberal votes cast stands at present at 33.8 compared with 36.9 in 1937; the Conservative figures are 32.3 compared with 28.3, while the C.C.F. comparative totals are 31.1 and 28.2. The rest account for 3.3 against 6.6. It should also be noted that in the following districts the electors voted for more than one candidate: Victoria City, three; Vancouver-Point Grey, three; Vancouver Centre, two; Vancouver East, two, and Vancouver-Burrard, two.

Of especial significance—on first consideration—is the comparatively small decline in the popular vote recorded for the Liberal Party. With a probable representation in the Legislature of 20, compared with 31 in the last House, popular support declined but a little more than 20,000 votes, or one-twentieth of the total ballots marked, against a drop of no less than one-third in the number of seats that will be occupied by that party's supporters in the next House. The increase in the Conservative vote is more in keeping with the addition of the five seats with which the present tally credits the party—12 against seven. Its triumph in populous Vancouver-Point Grey emphasizes the point. The same applies, of course, to the C.C.F. gains scored in Vancouver-Burrard and Vancouver East.

In this election, as in previous contests in this and other provinces and in the federal field, some Conservative newspapers have harped on the supposed iniquity of an administration governing the country with the sanction of a minority vote. They have steadfastly refused to compare, for example, the division of the ballots in such a thickly-populated country as Great Britain, because it would effectively reveal the transparency of such a specious argument. Even in the general election of 1935, which gave to the Baldwin government its record majority, the Conservatives elected no fewer than 387 members to a British House of Commons, composed of 615 members, with 10,496,300 votes out of 21,997,054, or rather better than half the number of ballots cast. It cannot be otherwise under the electoral systems operative in most British countries.

But if this is so, as the figures reveal, in Great Britain, how much more likely is it to be the case in Canada, or, specifically, in such a vast and sparsely-populated province as British Columbia. Ten ridings in this province may return as many Liberals, or Conservatives or C.C.F. members—all without pluralities. Yet the aggregate vote may not be more than recorded in three or four constituencies in Vancouver. The summary of the allocation of party strength in the 48 British Columbia constituencies, therefore, should dispose of this old argument once and for all. It has no foundation in logic under the present procedure. Nor will it be seriously argued that a case has been made out either for the primaries principle followed in the United States or for the more complicated system of Proportional Representation. It is to be noted, incidentally, that when a Conservative government—there is none in Canada now—has been elected on a minority vote, the point is completely ignored by the Tory press. It all depends upon whose "ox is gored."

Back to the Normans

STUDENTS OF HISTORY MAY SEE IN Marshal Petain's appeal to the people of occupied France to desist from taking pot shots at Nazi officers and troops something of a parallel to conditions obtaining in England after the Norman conquest. It will be recalled that the Battle of Hastings, and the events which followed it, not only placed a Duke of Normandy on the English throne, but gave up the whole population of England to the tyranny of the Norman race—and the subjugation of a nation by a nation has seldom, even in Asia, been more complete." Lord Macaulay, in his "History of England" and in the chapter dealing with events before the restoration, draws this verbal picture:

"The country was portioned out among the captains of the invaders. Strong military institutions, closely connected with the institution of property, enabled the foreign conquerors to oppress the children of the soil. A cruel penal code, cruelly enforced, guarded the privileges, and even the sports, of the alien tyrants. Yet the subject race, though beaten down and trodden underfoot, still made its sting felt. Some bold men, the favorite heroes of our oldest ballads, betook themselves to the woods, and there, in defiance of curfew laws and forest laws, waged a predatory war against their oppressors.

Assassination was an event of daily occurrence. Many Normans suddenly disappeared, leaving no trace. The corpses of many were found bearing marks of violence. Death by torture was denounced against the murderers, and strict search was made for them. It was at length thought necessary to lay heavy fine on every Hundred in which a person of French extraction should be found slain; and this regulation, providing that every person who was found slain should be supposed to be a Frenchman, unless he were proved to be a Saxon."

Macaulay wrote his "History of England" in the middle of the last century. His recital of the state of the country after the Norman Conquest—of which the foregoing is an extract—brings us up sharply against paralleling circumstances in the countries occupied and dominated by the "alien tyrants" of 1941. In the earlier days, however, the conqueror did not select 100 hostages for the firing squad; he levied a heavy fine. In our advanced civilization, however, the men of Berlin, aided at least to some extent by the men of Vichy, are improving on the mode of procedure followed by the Normans. But the final result will be the same.

Voice of Berlin

ITALIAN NEWSPAPERS RAN VERBALLY berserk today in denunciations of Mr. Cordell Hull, United States Secretary of State, and in their use of frantic adjectives that easily dwarf some of the best efforts to date of the Herr Doktor Goebbels.

"Vulgar agent provocateur" is the epithet one newspaper employs to manifest its supreme annoyance over Mr. Hull's advocacy of modifications for the United States Neutrality Act. Il Messaggero calls the Secretary of State a "frantic organizer of crimes, a sure instrument for the worst things, for the most wretched undertakings." Not content with this, however, the same newspaper regards Mr. Hull's testimony before the Senate Foreign Affairs Committee "one of the most outrageous vituperative speeches in the rich Rooseveltian anthology against the Axis." Less explosive is Il Popolo di Roma—which suggests that the Secretary of State is a "false witness" when he suggests that Germany and Italy were trying to dominate the seas and intended to attack America. "In point of provocations," it said, "we find ourselves today in the presence of a really extreme case."

All this sound and fury from the Italian press, of course, merely reflects the orders of the real masters of the country. What Mussolini and his newspapers say now must conform to the general plan of the campaign laid down by the men of Berlin. Meanwhile, however, Mr. Cordell Hull will get a little fun out of the Italian caricature of himself and his deeds.

Forgotten Man

IF ANY AMONG OUR READERS CARE to send in a nomination for a Forgotten Man we can help them out with a name: His Royal Something Almonde, Duke of Spoleto, King of Croatia. Last May, after the Germans had conquered the Yugoslavs, they allowed Italy to set up a paper puppet state in their territory. It was to be one of those sub-colonial dependencies of the New Order in Europe, and the Italians were to be allowed the privilege of holding it down. The House of Savoy furnished the Duke of Spoleto as the man for the job; they called him "king." That was in mid-May. But things are not going so well in the "Kingdom of Croatia." There are a lot of Serbs there who do not want any part of "King Almonde," and they are saying it with bullets and bombs. Four months, and nearly everybody had forgotten that this man had been proclaimed a king at all. Another 10 months and he may have forgotten it himself.

Notes

In fairness it should be said for Hitler's Germany that nowhere does one meet as nice a class of people in the prisons.

Il Duce, who used loudly to insist that "war is swell," is now understood to be leaning to the ungarbled Sherman definition.

Nova Scotia's general election comes next Tuesday, with the government there now no doubt hoping that the result will be nothing like last Tuesday's in British Columbia.

PRESERVING RURAL BEAUTY

From Ottawa Citizen
I think that I shall never see
A billboard lovely as a tree;
Perhaps, unless the billboards fall,
I'll never see a tree at all.

One is reminded of Ogden Nash's parody of a famous poem on the beauty of trees by the announcement from the Quebec government that roadside billboards will not be permitted on certain highways in the province. This action is one that will be warmly approved.

Huge advertisement signs along the highways of Canada are no asset to the nation. They disfigure the landscape and sometimes blot part of it out. Their erection is a form of enterprise which ought to be discouraged. But it is not always easy to get the authorities to act.

Quebec has led the way in this respect. The Taschereau government did something to preserve the amenities of rural Quebec and other governments in the province have followed its example. The result is that the countryside of the French-Canadians is comparatively free of offending signs.

The most recent step, announced by Mr. Bouchard, Minister of Highways, prohibits the placing of hoardings along the Laprairie-New York State Road, the new Montreal-St. Anne's Road, the recently completed Montreal-Quebec Highway along the south shore, and one in the Laurentians. The minister, who is chiefly responsible, deserves commendation for this latest move.

Bruce Hutchison

THE BOILER

THE PRESENT POSITION of the North American economy has been likened by Mr. Morgenthau, Secretary of the U.S. treasury, to a boiler with an increasing fire under it. The boiler is the level of prices or, in other words, the value of the dollar. The fire is the people's extra supply of money, brought to them by war loans. If the fire keeps growing in heat the boiler will shortly burst. Already it is heaving. Already prices are going up fast and the steam of inflation is missing audibly about us. The Mackenzie King government of Canada has moved boldly to save the boiler from bursting. It has moved further than the government of Britain or the government of the United States, neither of which have such prices and wages together. But the King government, for all its caring, has not removed the fire under the boiler. It has not dampened the fire down. The explosion will still occur unless something else is done.

THE BOOTLEGGER

THERE IS ONLY one way to dampen down the fire and save the boiler. That is to reduce the total purchasing power of the people. So long as they have more and more purchasing power while less and less goods are being produced (as is the case now) prices must rise. It doesn't matter that the government orders them not to rise. It doesn't matter that the government puts people in jail because they raise prices. Somehow men will find means of selling for higher prices if people are willing to pay them.

We found that out during prohibition. You simply cannot stop bootlegging if the people will patronize the bootlegger. In Britain today, and even in Germany where the penalty is probably death, "black markets" operate successfully. Bootleggers secretly sell desirable products for fancy prices. In a democratic country, in an easy-going country, where men are accustomed to do and buy as they please, the task of preventing bootlegging will be infinitely greater. What is to prevent you coming out to my place some dark night and bidding \$5 for a box of my Cox's Orange Pippins (which are worth more) and what is to prevent me taking it? (Except that I wouldn't sell you one apple for that price, my friend.)

Only two things will prevent you from rushing out here to buy my Orange Pippins. One is your patriotism. The other is your lack of money. Therefore, the government must have the patriotic support of everyone in this price-and-wage policy. It must have behind it the general resolve of the Canadian people that prices shall not rise, and that no one will do anything to make them rise. But that is hardly safe enough, human nature being what it is. The government's program will only be safe when you haven't the money to pay me \$5 per box.

Which means, of course, that the government must somehow sop up the people's surplus purchasing power before it can be used to bid up prices. It must take your \$5 from you, or at least \$4, so that you cannot spend it recklessly on Pippins. It can do this either by taxing you directly or by borrowing the money and paying you back after the war, when the government will want you to buy everything in sight, including Pippins. (That is why I am growing them, of course, a whole tree of them.)

TISSUE PAPER

SO FAR the government has not succeeded in sopping up our surplus purchasing power. We have been buying more than ever and having a good time out of the war. This obviously cannot go on, since shortly the goods will not be available to buy; but if we persist in trying to buy goods that don't exist, if you insist on bidding up the price of my Pippins, inflation will follow no matter what orders the government issues. Its price ceiling will be pierced as easily as a taut sheet of tissue paper.

There is one other method, of course. That is rationing. By rationing everything we buy the government can make sure we don't attempt to buy too much. If you are limited strictly in your purchases, however, it is very little use to have a lot of money because you cannot spend it. And I can think of no more miserable sight than you, with a pocketful of money, yearning for the sharp English taste of a Pippin and unable to buy it because it is not on your ration list. Most likely you'll have to be satisfied with soft, effeminate McIntosh Reds from the Okanagan, and you have my sympathy.

If we don't want rationing and we don't want inflation we must cut down our whole scale of living. That is what it comes to. We now reach a point in the war where no mere inconvenience will suffice. We face a definite change in our whole way of life. If we are not willing to accept that, if we think we can get along simply by eating Macs instead of Pippins, either the boiler is going to burst or we are going to abandon our attempt to make war goods and fight the war. We shall know shortly now whether the Canadian people are willing to pay the price of victory. It will be higher for all of us than most people imagine.

For a long time this column has been saying that and telling you that the present crisis would arise. For the first time it begins to look as if something said here were correct. Frankly, I am amazed.

A little careless grammar seems democratic, but we still wish radio announcers wouldn't say "infer" when they mean "imply."

Parallel Thoughts

My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness.—II Corinthians 12:9.

Like strength is felt from hope, and from despair.—Homer.

PROBLEM OF THE UNSKILLED

From Toronto Globe and Mail
It is a shock to learn that there are still 5,600,000 unemployed—Works Progress Administration recent estimate—in the United States. This is less than half the depression peak—a third of some estimates—yet it is surprisingly high for a period in which defence work is so general and so many men have been called for army service.

The greatest problem in unemployment is that most of the jobless are unskilled. Skilled men are the last to lose employment and the first to be called back. There is today in the United States a tremendous demand for skilled mechanics or men who by training in other fields could be quickly re-educated for defence work calling for skill. In the machine age, the man who can do only heavy work with his hands is at a sad disadvantage.

There are 11 major religions boasting 1,400,000,000 adherents.

Elmore Philpott

NAZI SUPER-BLASPHEMY

THERE WAS NO more horrible joke in all the history of nations than the Nazi claim that their invasion of Russia was "to save Christian civilization."

At the very time that the Nazi hordes are pounding at the defences of Moscow, Hitler's Russian-born, Russian-educated high priest has proclaimed intention to apply in Germany the most blasphemous program of desecration. Dr. Alfred Rosenberg is the author of an avowed pagan volume, "Myth of the Twentieth Century." In this book the Nazi nihilist moved from what might be called the old testament to the new testament stage. Whereas in the earlier teaching of the Nazis it was the custom to blame all the troubles of Germany and the world on the Jews, Rosenberg openly blamed it all on Christians.

Germany, he argued, must purge herself of the effects of the teaching of "goodness and mercy," "the golden rule" and all that sort of trash about kindness and neighborliness and go back to the open worship of the ancient Aryan gods of force and fire. While Rudolf Hess was willing to admit that Jesus was a prophet (not to be compared with Hitler), Rosenberg went the whole hog. The teachings of Jesus, he declared, were poisonous and must be wiped right out of the memories and minds and hearts of the German Herrenvolk—destined to rule all mankind by force unmixing with any sickly Jewish-Christian sentimentality.

For a long while Rosenberg was something of a joke in the Nazi Party. His rivals pointed out that he had actually been in Russia till after the revolution—and only came out because he was dissatisfied with the job they gave him. He staged big bonfires on hilltops—with secret rites about which the ordinary Nazi nitwits laughed.

Rosenberg had the last laugh, however. For when Hitler crashed into Russia Rosenberg won point 1 of his program. Now comes word of what the next step will be if Rosenberg again gets his way.

30 PAGAN POINTS

Dispatches from Stockholm dated October 16 give some details of a proposed 30-point program proclaimed by Rosenberg's office of ideological education. Its avowed purpose is "to gain possession of the last German soul." Its highlights are:

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2. To abolish the Bible, even

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Battlewagon Warfare

From Time

Germany and Russia began the war with approximately equal strength in tanks. How had Germany achieved the apparent 14-to-5 advantage in tank force before Moscow?

Partly, of course, by strategy—by drawing Russian strength aside, especially into the Ukraine. Partly by better development of anti-tank artillery technique. But mostly because of the difference between the German and Russian conceptions of the purpose of tanks.

The German tank technique is largely based on Der Kampf-wagenkrieg (Battlewagon Warfare, 1935) by General Ludwig Ritter von Eimannsberger. The essence of the Eimannsberger thesis boils down to this: The tank is exclusively a weapon of large-scale strategic offensive, in no case of small-scale tactical attack, counter-attack or defence. For defence against tanks General von Eimannsberger devised a pattern of anti-tank guns in three rows—a 6-12-6 defence—covering a front about a mile and a half wide. Such a defence, he figured, would be able to knock out at least 54 tanks before being overcome itself.

To break through with tanks, he suggested using three successive waves, behind which would pour infantry attackers to maintain their beach. This system calls for tight concentration of tanks into vast breaching units—e.g., the four Panzer armies which have made the big breaks in Russia.

Russia, on the other hand, apparently bases its tank warfare on the French conception—tanks should be used as roving pillboxes in support of infantry. Thus Russia had no great tank armies, but spread its large number of tanks all through its infantry armies, squandered them little by little in defensive actions and minor counter-attacks.

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CHEESE IN ENGLAND

From Manchester Guardian

There is one thing to be said about the cheese that we already receive—it is not of a quality to encourage hoarding. There is little temptation to make it "spin out" because it goes dry, hard, and unattractive within a day or two of leaving the shop; so the ration might just as well be absorbed while it is in as good condition as it will ever know. One of the blessings of peace will be not only the gradual disappearance of the rationing system but also the return—equally gradual, it is to be feared—of the finer grades and qualities in foodstuffs. Bright will be the day for the cheese addict when he can pick and choose between Stilton or old Cheshire, or ponder a preference between genuine Cheddar and Wensleydale. There will also be the cheeses from abroad to be sampled once again—and there will be no need for the patriot to cut himself off from the cheeses of Germany because such special products as the Fatherland may have achieved in that line never appear to have enjoyed any esteem at any time in this country. The yield of French, Swiss and Italian dairies were known to the discerning, but the Boche as cheesemonger to his neighbors seems to be a nonexistent type.

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Canadian Art Wins Distinction

"The Canadian Group of Seven," was the subject of an address by John Kyle, A.R.C.A., before the Vancouver Island Arts and Craft Society. The speaker was introduced by Sir Heaton Forbes Robinson.

Mr. Kyle explained that the group was formed to found a school of Canadian art. When an exhibition of Canadian pictures had been shown in London, Eng., the discerning art critics pointed out that while the physical facts were well painted and true to life, the inimitable essences of art in each scene were crushed out by a foreign-begotten technique.

The Group of Seven believed this to be true. They believed

that Canadian scenery in all its massiveness and grandeur required a technique of its own and they set about to use new methods and to challenge the old conventions of art.

The group consisted of Lawren Harris, J. E. H. MacDonald, Alex. Y. Jackson, Franklin Carmichael, Frank H. Johnston, Fred H. Varley, Arthur Lismer, five Canadians and two Englishmen.

This group was augmented by Tom Thomson who had received no European training but who was extremely sensitive to the effects as seen in the Algonquin country of northern Ontario.

Their first exhibition came somewhat as a shock to the orthodox painters and the public but when the pictures went to England the best-informed critics looked at them with great favor and considered that Canada had now an art of her own.

Pictures were purchased for British galleries and the effect of all this was to make Canadian critics modify their opinions and gradually come round to see the beauties of composition and color as displayed in the new art.

OTTAWA (CP) — Award of six construction contracts totaling \$385,000, on which work begins immediately, was announced last night by the Department of Munitions and Supply.

Contracts, approximate cost, type of construction, approximate completion dates and contractors employed, included: Esquimalt, B.C., \$8,000; grading and paving, December, E. H. Shockley, Victoria.



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Kicked By Horse

When kicked by a horse while working on his Saanichton farm Tuesday evening, A. Boudon, a middle-aged man, received concussion and bad bruises to his face, but was reported in good condition by his physician, Dr. T. W. A. Gray.

Police said no one saw the accident. Neighbors found Mr. Boudon in an unconscious state near his team of horses which he had taken out to pull a stump. One of the horses had jumped a fence. The other, still in harness, was on the other side of the fence. Mr. Boudon was unable to say how the accident occurred.

Victoria College Has Busy Week

The first edition this term of the Microscope, weekly publication at Victoria College, was issued this week. It consists of seven pages of interesting articles, news, cartoons, jokes and columns of gossip. The paper is being edited by Ellen Willis, assisted by Jim McKeachie and Al McMinn.

A. T. Stillwell, of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, spoke to the members of the Science Club Tuesday evening on "The Astronomical Body."

S. G. Pettit, professor of history and psychology, spoke to the Social Problems Club Wednesday on "Russia," giving the students a great insight into the heart, leadership, land, and strength of arms and manpower of the nation.

Presentation of scholarships and prizes to the students will take place at Victoria High School tomorrow afternoon at 3.30.

The annual parents' reception will be held Saturday afternoon. The faculty, and members of the Students' Council of the Alma Mater Society will receive parents and guardians from 4 to 6 in the afternoon. In the evening the Hard Times Dance will be held. Students must attend in rags and tatters, even going as far as wearing sacks. They will be charged double the admission price if the costumes do not measure up to the standard set by the judges.

William Shakespeare was born April 23, 1564.

On November 13, 1833, meteors swarmed through the sky like snowflakes, and many believed that the end of the world had come.

Marketing Inquiry

Board Agencies Most Efficient

That nonprofit selling organizations set up by individual marketing boards have been more efficient and subject to fewer complaints than contracted selling agencies, was admitted by James E. Lane, during hearings Wednesday of the commission investigating the marketing act.

The B.C. Coast Vegetable Marketing Board is unique in that it is the only agricultural marketing board which has an outside selling agency.

In commenting on the matter, Lane said, however, that differences of circumstances made generalization difficult. He said in the case of the coast marketing board the danger of "bootlegging" was much greater than in other agricultural marketing areas.

Asked why a nonprofit selling agency had not been established on the coast, Mr. Lane said the suggested manager did not appear competent. The selling agency has been selected from tenders, he said. Personally he favored nonprofit selling agencies.

Gilbert Hogg, counsel for the B.C. Federation of Agriculture, said that in the agencies set up under the board, all profits are returned to the producers. This is not the case for contracted agencies, he said.

H. W. Davey, counsel for the Vancouver Island Potato Growers' Association, charged that individual members of the coast marketing board had on occasion given instructions to inspectors. Mr. Lane said every effort was made to curb this.

Although he considered it workable, Mr. Lane did not support a plan suggested by Mr. Davey that a special price-fixing committee of experts be appointed, and the board representation broadened. In the present system the three-member board sets prices.

Lane admitted there had been charges of unfair elections of board members in the coast area. Questioned on how he could be satisfied the election was fair when he consulted only the returning officer who was appointed by the coast board, Mr.

Lane said he did not remember the details.

"I would advise against the provincial board taking the responsibility of conducting and investigating elections," Mr. Lane said. He was of the opinion that local elections were more democratic. He said the complaints on elections were general and there was no monopoly for in almost every case board members had not been re-elected.

Lane said only land owners were permitted to vote in elections because if the franchise was extended to all producers, Orientals would gain control of the board.

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British Columbia's tiniest polling division with the tiniest name, Dot, in Yale riding, half way between Merritt and Spence's Bridge, gave Dr. J. J. Gillis, Liberal, two votes and A. R. R. Craig, Conservative, none. There are five registered voters on the list for Dot. August Bernard Ransome was deputy returning officer and his wife Ada Nettie Ransome, was poll clerk and their farm house was the polling station. All official posters and proclamations were posted the same as in Victoria, with its thousands of voters. The ballot is secret but if the Ransomes voted they would do so without moving from their own house where Bernard Ransome, as deputy returning officer, had supreme authority over his wife as poll clerk. Cost of the taking of the two Dot votes was \$17.50 as follows: Deputy returning officer \$7.50, poll clerk \$5, and rent of polling station \$5.

A.R.P. Activities

District 2A Fairfield—The progressive course of discussions is continuing each Friday at 8 in the auditorium of Sir James Douglas School, and therefore the monthly business meeting scheduled for October 28 will not be held. Any necessary business will be dealt with after the lecture October 31. Patrol leaders are requested to confer after the lecture on October 24. All wardens who have not signed and sent in the duplicate police registration forms are requested to do so at once. Forms can be obtained each Friday.

District 3D—Wardens in the area bounded by the northwest city limit, Cook Street, Hillside and the waterfront are requested to attend an important meeting to be held on October 24 at 8 in North Ward School, at which Capt. W. Ellis, C.P. officer, will be present. A new district warden will be appointed and arrangements will be made for an anti-gas course.

Defeated Ministers Make Future Plans

Attorney-General Gordon Wismer, defeated in the general election Tuesday in Vancouver Centre, will go back to private law practice. Before he went into politics he was regarded as one of the best criminal lawyers in the province.

Dr. George M. Weir, Provincial Secretary and Minister of Education, is expected to return to University of British Columbia faculty, which he left to join the government in 1933.

Both ministers took their defeats philosophically.

"I'm rather disappointed that one party or the other has not got a clear majority," said the Attorney-General.

"The situation as it stands now is not efficient for the successful prosecution of the war."

"As far as I am concerned I am satisfied with the result. It was the verdict of the electors. The successful candidates have conducted a clean campaign and they are outstanding citizens. I wish them every success."

"Moreover, I am happy to be able to return to my own law practice," added Mr. Wismer.

FORTUNES OF WAR

Dr. Weir said:

"It is the fortunes of war, and we have to bow to the inevitable."

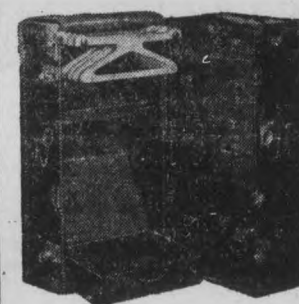
"I want to congratulate Harold Winch and R. L. Maitland on their success."

"I have every expectation that the work which I endeavored to do and helped along—social services and education—will not be retarded by the result of the election," he concluded.

Attends Ottawa Meet

Col. L. W. Miller, officer in charge of administration for Military District No. 11, is back in Victoria now after having attended a meeting of assistant adjutants and quartermaster-general at national defence headquarters, Ottawa.

Discussions of the conference were not revealed, but it was understood the men studied work and problems of their military districts in round-table fashion. Attending the week-end meet were men from military districts throughout Canada.



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Saanich Pioneers Mark Golden Wedding

An outstanding celebration took place in the Royal Oak district Wednesday on the occasion of the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Grant, well-known pioneer resident.

A largely-attended reception was held at "Bonnie Doon," the attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant, on West Saanich Road. The rooms were decorated with masses of beautiful flowers from their garden. The refreshment table, covered with a lace cloth, was arranged with tall golden tapers, yellow nasturtiums and yellow chrysanthemums. A wedding cake, decorated in gold and white, and suitably inscribed, held the place of honor on a side table.

A shower of cards of congratulations, telegrams, flowers and gifts, including a gold-colored satin eiderdown from the family, were received by the guest of honor. During the evening Dr. W. Bryce entertained with colored moving pictures taken on the island and in the interior. Vocal solos were rendered.

Mr. Grant was born in Banffshire, Scotland, and came west 55 years ago, and has resided in Royal Oak for the past 35 years. Mr. Grant is well known in the musical circles, having taken part in glee clubs and choirs for many years.

WED IN VICTORIA

On October 22, 1891, Mr. Grant married Miss Isa M. Manson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Manson, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Donald McRae in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West. Miss Annie Manson was her sister's bridesmaid, and the groom was supported by his brother-in-law, Mr. George Fraser Watson, ex-Reeve of Saanich.

Mr. Grant was born in Fort Fraser, where her father was the factor in charge. When the family moved to Royal Oak there were only three buildings in the district, the Royal Oak Hotel, a house near Swan Lake, and their house, near the corner of Wilkinson Road and West Saanich Road. She is an associate member of Royal Oak Women's Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant have two daughters, Mrs. E. L. (Violet) Sather, Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. W. J. (Mona) Jones, Victoria, and four granddaughters: Mrs. W. Cole, Vancouver; Mrs. Doris Kean, Seattle; and Mrs. W. H. Robinson, and Miss Beatrice Jones, Victoria.

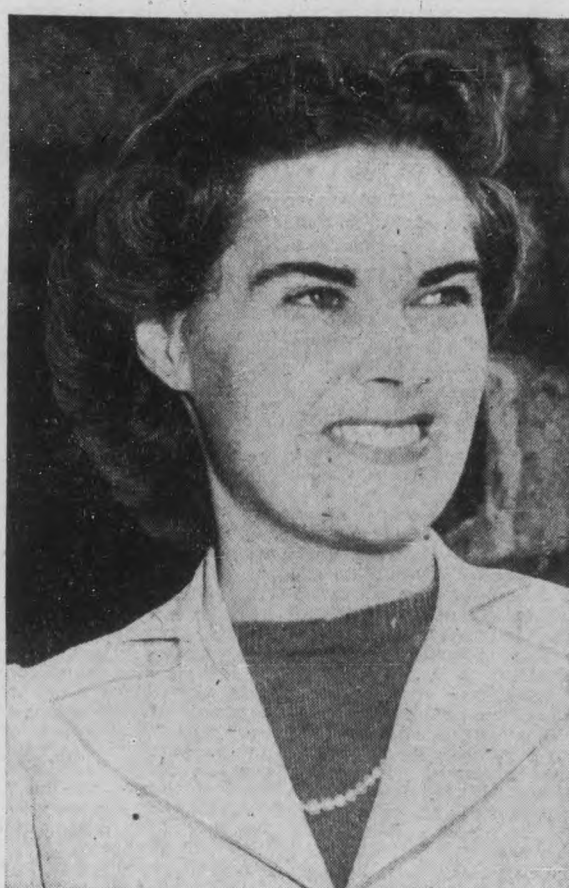
Among the guests present Wednesday were many acquaintances of 35 years ago, and Major Robert and Mrs. Grant, Seaside, Oregon; Mrs. E. L. Sather, Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. W. Cole, Vancouver.

Madras Editor to Address Women

Alfred Wharton, who will speak next Tuesday afternoon to the Women's Canadian Club at the Empress Hotel, will discuss India's amazing present-war effort, as well as the larger aspects of her present and future.

Mr. Wharton now resides in North Vancouver, but was for many years a resident of India. After tutoring both in Mohammedan and Hindu families he managed a large estate. Later he joined the editorial staff of the Madras Times, finally becoming editor of that important journal.

Gorillas, the terror of African fiction stories, run from men, and attack only when cornered or wounded.



MRS. G. C. D. STANLEY, who is visiting her parents, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. T. B. Monk for a few weeks before returning to her home in Toronto. Mrs. Stanley has been accompanying her husband on his tour of Canada for the Queen's Canadian Fund for Air Raid Victims. She expects him to reach the coast with the "Iron Duke," a battle-scarred mobile tea canteen which saw service in the Battle of Britain and survived over 30 air raids about the middle of November.

Social and Personal

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Woodward, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Woodward and Miss Ruth MacLean, will leave tonight for Vancouver. They expect to return to Government House Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Parsons of Ganges are spending a few days in Victoria.

The Misses Eileen Pendray and Mildred Jones have returned to Victoria after visiting in Vancouver with Miss Pendray's sister, Mrs. R. J. Cummins.

Sub-Lieutenant R. Parker and Mrs. Parker, who have come here from Toronto to make their home, at present are resident in the Kent Apartment.

Mrs. W. D. Nichol and her two young sons arrived on Salt Spring Island recently from Pender Harbor and have taken up residence on Ganges Hill.

Mr. Charles Johnston, who before the war made his home in England and in South Africa and who has been in Victoria for a number of months, has left to spend the winter in California.

Mrs. Stewart Rowan-Legg of Halifax, who has been staying with Captain and Mrs. R. I. Agnew, Linden Avenue, is staying at the Brentwood Auto Camp, while her husband is stationed at the airport at Patricia Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor returned to Vancouver Wednesday night after a brief visit with Mr. Taylor's brother and sister-in-law, Lieut. Penn Taylor, R.C.N. V.R., and Mrs. Taylor, Cathay Apartments.

Mr. J. Fyfe Smith and Mr. A. T. Morrison, members of the provincial council of St. John Ambulance Association, have returned to Vancouver after inspecting units of the association earlier this week. While here they were guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. David Carmichael have arrived from Premier, B.C., and are staying with Mr. Carmichael's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Carmichael, St. Ann Street, and will also visit Mrs. Carmichael's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Phethean, St. David Street.

Mrs. Jack Nichol of Victoria is visiting for a month at Banff and on returning to the coast will spend the winter in Vancouver with her mother, Mrs. Charles Beveridge, McDonald Street. Mrs. Nichol's home in the Uplands is leased for six months to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sills of Vancouver.

Twelve tables were in play at the Trafalgar Day tea held at Prince Robert House Tuesday, under the auspices of the Auxiliary to the Rainbow Sea Cadets. As a result of the affair \$50 was raised for the funds. Mrs. F. Nobbs was convener of the bridge, assisted by Mrs. W. Spaven. Mrs. J. Jones and Mrs. A. Stone had charge of the tea, assisted by members of the auxiliary. Tea was served at flower-centred tables. Mrs. E. R. de Beck and Mrs. B. Davis won the prizes.

Women Debate Limit Of Freedom Good For Children

"How Much Freedom Should We Allow Our Children?" was debated with lively interest Wednesday evening at Central Junior High School. The occasion was the first of a series of open forums on topical questions conducted by the Women's Council Table, sponsored by the Local Council of Women.

Mrs. D. L. MacLaurin, chairman and leader of the discussion group, explained the value of the organization in stimulating different points of view and opening up new areas for research and recommended as supplementary reading a carefully selected list of books and articles compiled by Miss Margaret Clay, city librarian.

HOME TRAINING

Mrs. H. L. Smith, B.A., opened the discussion, presenting the parents' point of view on the problem of child freedom. She drew attention to the new conception of child training and discipline, based on the understanding of the reasons underlying child behavior, adding that discipline includes the wise guidance of natural capacities and the encouraging of socially desirable habits.

"An objective to be reached by the end of the adolescent period is the emancipation of the boy or girl from home control and intense parental attachment," Mrs. Smith said. Several ways of giving deliberate education for independence, suggested by Mrs. Smith were: A definite allowance, freedom in choice of vocation and friends. "The outstanding characteristic of a desirable home for adolescents is the presence of parents who encourage the adolescent to become an adult," she concluded.

SCHOOL ASPECT

"New freedoms have been introduced into schools in recent times," said Dr. Henrietta Anderson, in dealing with the aspect "Are children today getting too much freedom in schools?"

She agreed with the new freedom of movement, allowing children to have activity programs and not sit for hours in the same position, and was in accord with the modern system of allowing children to question the teacher's dictum and discuss their problems.

PRESENT SYSTEM A REACTION

"It is perhaps inevitable," Dr. Anderson said, "that because the present school system is a reaction against the stiff and stereotyped in the old regime, the pendulum has a tendency to swing too far in some cases and under some conditions. It is probably equally inevitable that it will in time swing back again."

Dr. Anderson then posed the challenge: how is this freedom going to operate? and asked, "Are the citizens of the future going to function more satisfactorily because of training in childhood and youth to think independently, assume responsibility and evaluate criteria, or are we just fooling ourselves and really handing youth a freedom which it cannot rightly use, and laying upon it a burden which nature has not, in the early stages of youth, fitted it to bear?"

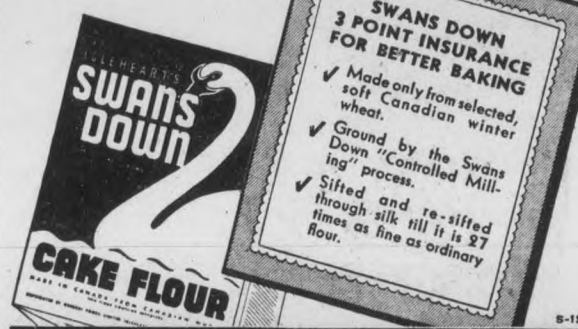
"Children in a community," Miss Dorothy Yates, social service worker, said, "must be guided

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by restrictions, but they should have full and equal freedom in human citizenship." She pointed to the inequality of a child raised on a mother's allowance of \$35 a month and the education of a child of a salaried father, and that of an unemployed minor, riding the rods, looking for a job and a square meal as compared to that of a well-nourished boy with a steady moral outlook in an established home.

SOME RESTRICTED AREAS

Miss Yates pointed out that laws are needed to protect children who haven't the guidance of a responsible adult, and that youth should be taught at an early age to enjoy a feeling of responsibility to himself, his associates, his city and his country.

An interesting forum followed, with members of the audience joining in the debate, discussion centring around the necessity for careful sex education in the schools and home, mental and spiritual aspects being regarded as important as the general physical treatment.

Mrs. A. E. Hopkins, president of the Local Council of Women, introduced Mrs. MacLaurin, and Mrs. P. Rayment acted as time-keeper.

Members of the executive committee were introduced. They were: Miss Olive Heritage, Miss Margaret Clay and Mesdames H. Lethaby, A. C. Ross, Ken McAllister, Waldie-Smith and Alan Campbell. At the next meeting,

November 19, "How Can We Improve Our Vote?" will be discussed.

STRAWBERRY VALE

Wilkinson Road Young People's Society met Monday evening when an interesting debate was held on the topic: "Resolved That Daylight Saving Time Confers Generally More Benefits Than Standard Time." Those participating included Pat Gilham, Jessie Ritz, Verene Maurer, Gwen Garner, Jack Boorman and Bob Leaburn, with Helen Phillips as chairman. The negative side won.

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WAR SAVINGS STAMPS AND CERTIFICATES

Nurse Marooned in Alaska Blizzard

FAIRBANKS, Alaska (AP)—Two nights spent in a freezing blizzard in the forest near Tetlin resulted in no more harm than frostbitten toes and exhaustion for Lucille Wright, veteran Indian Bureau nurse who was found safe Wednesday after becoming lost Monday while en route by dog team to Moose Creek, 200 miles southeast of Fairbanks.

Without matches with which to start a fire and with temperatures ranging from zero to 20 degrees, Miss Wright utilized many years' training in the north and took refuge in the forest, "holing up" until the storm abated.

She was found by an Indian a mile from Tetlin as dog team parties and at least three airplanes joined in search for her.

The newly-formed Youth Victory Club will hold its first dance and social in the Sons of England Hall Wednesday evening, October 29. Members of the Royal Air Force will be special guests. Miss Vanda Hudson is the convener.

Sailors' Wives Are Welcomed at 'Y'

Sailors' wives from many parts of Canada meet at the Y.W.C.A. every Wednesday evening. They call themselves the Jill Tars and a jolly group they are, as they sit around the big open fireplace in the clubrooms, or as they are more strenuously engaged in the recreation room.

This group is open to any sailor's wife who is in Victoria for one Wednesday night or for a winter of Wednesday nights. They plan whatever they wish to do, some are busily knitting socks, scarfs and sweaters, others are making beautiful dollies and fancywork in preparation for the sale of work and tea early in November, in aid of sailors' needs. Still others sit around the tea table discussing menus, the care of children, and the problems of moving, as the men are transferred from east to west or west to east.

On other evenings the program and social conveners, with their committees, put the group through their paces of relays and contests and the rooms echo with laughter. New members are welcomed to the group, and old members get to know each other better. Last week Miss M. Johnson of the Home Services School, helped the girls in planning war time economy meals.

Mrs. Bachus, program convener, has many interesting evenings planned, and Mrs. Leech, president, is always on hand early each Wednesday to welcome any new members who have heard about the club and found their way to the Y.W.C.A. Club members want to emphasize the notice that any sailor's wife is welcome for one meeting or for the winter.

The Jill Tars will be arranging a Christmas tree party for those who have young children, where all will have a festive time about the large tree.

For any further details phone the Y.W.C.A.

ST. MARY'S A.Y.P.A.

Members of St. Mary's branch attended church service Sunday evening last when three took part in a special Youth Sunday service. The address was given by Norman Williams, and the lessons were read by Robert Jervis-Read and Francis Robinson, respectively. The regular meeting of the branch was held Tuesday evening, the members forming a work party to assist the Salvage Corps in baling paper and tearing up cartons. On Wednesday evening the branch visited St. Matthias' Hall, where they were the guests of that A.Y.P.A. for a social evening. Badminton will commence next Monday night, after being postponed from last Monday on account of the hall being in use. Next Tuesday's meeting will be a Halloween social under group 1, and all members are asked, to come dressed as kids. New members are invited to attend this meeting.

The first white child born in America was Snorre Karlsefne, born in Nova Scotia in 1008.



—Photo by Savannah.

MR. AND MRS. JAMES ROBERT HOLLEY, who were married recently at St. Andrew's Cathedral. The bride was formerly Miss Mary Frances Cownden. She and her husband will make their home in Revelstoke, where the bridegroom is a member of the Provincial Police.

Clubwomen's News

Craigflower W.I. will hold a card party at the home of Mrs. Rankin Friday at 8 p.m.

The Presbyterian executive of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Church will meet in First United Church Friday afternoon, October 31, at 2.30. Will members kindly note the correction in the date.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to Local 1, I.W.A., have elected officers as follows: President, Mrs. Ed. Logan Sr.; vice-president, Mrs. Anderson; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Preston; organization committee, Miss J. Rutlan, Miss Graham and Mrs. T. E. Harrison. Next meeting will be on November 5, when a talk will be given on the rising cost of living. Social evening will be held November 19.

The Highland Lassies' Pipe Band, under the leadership of Pipe Major Lillian Grant, opened the United Scottish Society's concert presented to the officers and men of Rodd Hill Tuesday evening. A program of Scottish songs and dances was enjoyed, those contributing to its success being: Soloists, Mesdames F. W. Hawes, G. C. Ford, M. Carver, Nash and Mr. J. Bell; recitations, Miss Elma Morby; whistle selections, Mr. McFarlane; highland dancers, Lorna Doull, Barbara Barrick, Evelyn Watson, Helen and Mary Burgess. In addition to arranging programs for the men of the forces, the United Scottish Societies have so far sent to the Lord Mayor's Fund, \$1,500; to Jock's Box, \$500, and to the War Prisoners Fund, Edinburgh, \$500.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the United Commercial Travelers met recently, the president, Mrs. W. Walsh, in the chair. A satisfactory report was given of the rummage sale. A home-cooking sale will be held at Spencer's Saturday. All members are asked to leave donations either at the Douglas Hotel desk Friday or at the home-cooking stall before 10 a.m. Saturday. Mrs. James kindly offered her home for bridge Thursday evening, October 30. Every member is urged to attend. Sewing and knitting will continue on the first Tuesday afternoon of each month, the next to be held at the home of Mrs. Goulbourne, 22 Cambridge Avenue, Tuesday, November 4.

Cowichan Chapter, I.O.E.E., held a successful Trafalgar Day tea in St. John's Hall, Duncan, Tuesday afternoon. The decorations included flags and a model of the Victory. Mrs. Dreany and Mrs. Spears sold tea tickets, and tea arrangements were in the hands of Mrs. Hannigan. A novelty stall was arranged and managed by Mrs. H. L. Whitaker. Mrs. C. Deykin and Mrs. J. Anderson sold cooked food; Mrs. G. F. MacMillan and Mrs. Lovell had charge of bingo. A program, arranged by Miss L. Monk, consisted of pianoforte selections by Miss Monk, monologue, Mrs. A. F. Lloyd; vocal solos, Mrs. Houston, and the

C.G.I.T. Conference

The C.G.I.T. Leaders Council held a very successful week-end conference Saturday and Sunday at the summer home of Miss Marion Stevenson, Cordova Bay. All the leaders who attended had the opportunity of meeting Miss Kay Smith, the new girls work secretary for B.C. The main theme of the conference was "Daring to Lead."

Saturday evening the worship service was given by Miss Pearl Willows, followed by the report of the nominating committee, and a most interesting discussion led by Miss Smith. On Sunday morning an inspiring worship service was given by Miss Smith, while in the afternoon there were various discussions on leaders' difficulties, etc., and the installation of the new officers by Miss Lillian Parfitt as follows: Honorary president, Rita Rodger; president, Jean Wilson; vice-president, Jean Morrison; recording secretary, Margaret Armstrong; corresponding secretary, Marion Stevenson; treasurer, Nancy Hepburn; pianist, Barbara Dawson; press reporter, Irene Pearce. A vote of thanks to the old executive was given by Miss Minnie Beveridge. The conference came to a close with another discussion period in the evening.

St. Alban's held its harvest supper recently under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild, mesdames Chappell and Trickett conveners. One hundred members and friends attended and Rev. F. Comley presided. Rev. Canon Smith, Archdeacon Cornish, Rev. R. Connell and Rev. P. Disney spoke. Songs by Miss R. Walton and Mr. G. Bridges; instrumental numbers by Mr. M. Gosnell and G. Bridges; reading, Mrs. F. Chappell. Mr. Walton and Miss D. Kenmore were the accompanists for the community singing.

A temperature of 66 degrees below zero has been registered at Yellowstone National Park.

Red Cross Groups See Health Films

Members of four Red Cross home nursing groups attended a public health lecture at the Y.W.C.A. last evening. The meeting took the form of an informal discussion period based on questionnaires distributed to the members which tested their knowledge of the venereal disease control program in British Columbia.

The discussion was conducted jointly by members of the Provincial Board of Health staff, Mr. H. C. Rhodes and Miss Pauline Capelle, who are carrying out extensive educational meetings for the Division of Venereal Disease Control. The speakers emphasized "community responsibility" in the development of the venereal disease control program, stating that while organized health agencies had a primary responsibility in organizing the program, maximum results could not be accomplished until each person and group recognized that they had an important part in the improvement of public health standards.

As taxpayers, parents and members of groups dedicated to community welfare, they had an interest in this program and could co-operate actively with their local health agencies by helping to make the essential facts available to others.

Miss Alberta Cressor, supervisor of the Victorian Order of Nurses, occupied the chair. Two sound films were presented, which showed the facilities for the control of venereal disease in this province.

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Letters to the Editor

POLITICAL CYNIC

Everywhere, both among the persons one meets and in the newspapers, one finds an atmosphere of cynicism concerning politics. People laugh at the very idea of honesty in politics. It is as though there were no honest men politically at all—as though men had forgotten the old English proverb: Honesty is the best policy, which is, of course, as true in politics as it is in private life.

C. BRUSSON.

R.R. 4.

A PILL?

For many more years than it has been associated with a famous musician the name of Beecham has been associated with a pill. If the reports appearing recently in the press are to be believed—it still is.

Sir Thomas Beecham is a great musician, and has done much for music, but, while making every allowance for the artistic temperament, his recent exhibitions of bad manners and peevishness are to be deplored, particularly at this juncture of increasingly friendly relations between the British and U.S.

Every citizen of every country, when abroad, is to a certain extent an ambassador for his country, which is often judged by his remarks or actions, and when a citizen is as eminent as Sir Thomas, the reaction is more important, or at least gets more publicity.

Both the Americans and the British appreciate his music, but neither appreciate his discord.

DONALD H. SEYMOUR.
Sussex Apartment Hotel.

SMOKE SCREENS

We can agree with Oliver Rodstrom that not enough voters see through the smoke screens the reactionaries send up at election time. "If the darned fools only knew," as Theodore Roosevelt said so many years ago, we would have had a government by, of and for the people long ago, at Victoria and Ottawa alike, instead of governments, subservient to the private profiteers—ultra-

patriots, if you take them at their own words!

The handwriting on the wall is getting more distinct every day; a properly planned economy to satisfy human needs cannot be much longer delayed, and, here in Canada, only the C.C.F. has such plans and can accomplish what the New Zealand Labor government is doing since 1935.

F. H. STAVERMAN
Langford Lake.

CALL FOR RELIGION

A few weeks ago 234 British peers and members of Parliament asked their government to:

- Provide schools with religious instruction.
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- Appoint government inspectors of religion.

These signatories said: "The present struggle is clearly one between a regime embracing a crude and reactionary paganism, finding expression in material force and destroying truth, freedom and justice wherever its impact is felt. We and those who have the declared purpose of establishing these three precious heritages more firmly in the common life of the world seek to make them an abiding foundation of a new and better social order."

Rightly understood, these are the elementary principles of the Christian philosophy of life, and it would seem, therefore, that the future citizen should be so molded in character by Christian education that his citizenship shall become the expression of these principles in action.

JOHN LAMB.

860 Colville Rd.

BEECHAM, BEETHOVEN AND TOSCANINI

Reading the interview with Sir Thomas Beecham left me nauseated. "War," he says, "never permanently affects the arts." This may or may not be true, but to say it does not affect the artist is "the bunk." There is of course, a realm of "pure art"—art for art's sake—a dwelling place for some people, but there is no room on this earth for such a realm. Good music; good poetry, is emotional.

After the war started the NBC orchestra played all the Beethoven symphonies. At our house we were so upset that human ingenuity should again be misdirected, we didn't seem to care about "tuning in." However, a Beethoven cycle has to be taken advantage of, whatever mood one might be in. Justice is done to the ninth symphony perhaps once in a quarter of a century.

A year and a half ago was one time. I was very much affected. So much I felt like rushing out and destroying every church I could find.

Strange? Not by a d . . . d sight. If after 2,000 years of Christianity we come to this: You didn't hear of any churches being pushed over about that time? Nothing was reported in the "Times." Inhibition! Thy name is legion. All our lives; scared to do what should be done. The point is, I need not have been affected this way had Beecham directed Beethoven's music rather than Toscanini. Ergo: Beecham's the boy for us.

F. A. THORNLEY.

'UNION NOW'

Several notices have appeared regarding the book "Union Now." The parties writing omit reference to the chapter of the book setting out a proposed constitution for the union. I have had over 60 years experience in drawing up charters, constitutions, etc., and without hesitation I say that this proposed constitution is about the most dangerous Hitler propaganda that has come to my knowledge. Correspondence with members of the committee in the United States agitating for this constitution confirm me in my opinion.

Now is not the time for discussion, as all our efforts should be to defeat Hitlerism. You have not space in your paper for me to set out the various errors of fact and conclusions that are contained in the book, either the original edition or the amended one. I, however, ask your readers carefully to consider the proposed constitution and note the position it places the British Commonwealth in, and also that portion of it regarding the executive power. That calls for a board of five. The board to be commanders-in-chief of the army, the navy, and the air force, to do a few other technical powers, and winds up: "The board shall delegate all executive powers not expressly retained by it herein, to a premier, who shall exercise it with the help of a cabinet of his choice, until he loses the confidence of the House or Senate, whereupon the board shall delegate this power to another premier. Note the misuse of the word premier, and that the cabinet (?) is not composed of mem-

bers of the Legislature elected by the voters. Every person with whom I have discussed this constitution regards it as pure Hitlerism, one man, not elected by the voters, given absolute power.

JAS. R. ROAF.

18 Toronto Street, Toronto, Ont.

PENSIONS AND LIVING COST

I note that our government has been "watching closely" the rising cost of living with a view to giving bonuses to all civil servants for the duration. A most commendable idea! However, with all due respect to our civil servants I must suggest that there are others in greater financial need, namely, those receiving old age pensions and mothers' pensions. The government in this enlightened mood must surely see, without any great mental strain, what a bitter joke these pensions have become. God knows it was hard enough for these poor souls to eke out a living on this meagrely pittance in ordinary times, but in these present days of higher costs one wonders if they have not thrown up their hands in despair and lost entirely their faith in the human race! Who could blame them?

Our government, which is our representative, and which has been elected by us and given power by us to act for us in all matters pertaining to our welfare should have our interests at heart. If they are not acting to the best of their ability for the good of all, then who is to blame? We are! The responsibility then is in our hands. What are we going to do about it?

We are citizens of a great country, a country in its childhood. It is our country to make or break. If we are to build a happy, healthy, and prosperous nation, then we must look to our foundation. In my estimation this foundation must of necessity be one of sincere selfishness. The responsibility lies with us. Are we going to sit complacently, looking on at the antics of a small child, which, while the child is very young are "cute," but which, when the child has grown are deplorable, and waken from this lethargy to find that the child has been spoiled and has grown into a most undesirable person; or are we going to use our heads and raise this child, our country, to greatness with a full knowledge of our responsibility?

'SPAIN'

In common with a number of people on this continent, W. D. Munro appears to be laboring under a totally wrong conception of the facts which culminated in the rise of Franco in Spain, or, if not ignorant of the facts, he is forced to conclude that he himself is a Red and his venomous attack upon Franco the outcome of bitter chagrin because Franco refused to become a puppet of the Comintern.

Franco is not a tyrant nor has he anything in common with Hitler and Mussolini. Your correspondent's vindictiveness defeats his ends for one naturally asks: "What has Franco done compared with the evil those two arch-fiends have wrought upon a peaceful world?" The answer, which cannot be denied, is that Franco confined his activities to his own country; he did not de-

vastate and bring ruin and bloodshed upon peaceful little countries whose only crime was that they did not owe allegiance to Hitler. But that is not all. In painting Franco as a monster of iniquity, W. D. Munro does not know what he is talking about.

My information upon the Spanish situation comes from an Englishman who not only was living in Spain at the time of the upheaval but had resided there for the preceding 29 years. The greater part of his life has been spent in Spanish countries, so he thoroughly understands the Spanish temperament.

The man of whom I speak was manager of a railway in Spain employing hundreds of men who looked upon him as their friend and benefactor. He was decorated by King Alfonso for his services in combatting the terrible outbreak of typhus which spread to some parts of Spain during the latter part of the Great War. In addition, he is a writer of note upon technical matters and is not an adherent of any religious body. I think you will agree that such a man is well qualified to speak on matters of which he had first-hand knowledge.

Here is the information contained in his letters: "The government elected in Spain in 1934 was a representative body whose aim was a better and more prosperous Spain. Unfor-

tunately, it was not a strong government and in 1936 another election was forced upon the country. In this election the Reds, by threats, bribery and corruption secured a majority of seats, though not of votes. From that time free speech, except as understood by the Reds, was not allowed in the House. Calvo Sotelo, a Spanish patriot, insisted upon his right to speak as a properly-elected member and he was shot down in cold blood.

Then commenced an orgy of bloodshed. Religious houses were invaded by the Reds and nuns and priests dragged into the streets and slaughtered. During this period Franco was not even in Spain. He was in the Canaries and was appealed to by the decent element in Spain to come to the aid of his country. This he did. In his determined effort to free his country from the Reds, stern measures were unavoidable and no doubt innocent people, even children, suffered as is always the case in any conflict, but Franco restored order out of chaos. He formed a competent government when peace was restored and gave it powers to administer the business of the country. He has achieved the apparently impossible — raised the standard of wages without increasing the cost of living. As for the man himself, he is modest and retiring and if there is an

element of dictatorship, it is benign and invisible.

ISABEL BOAG.

1039 St. David Street.

THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 5 a.m. today—Dense fog prevail over the central and southern British Columbia coasts and there are valley fogs in the interior. Light to moderate rains have fallen on the extreme north coast, otherwise the weather has been mostly fair and mild. The prairies continue fair and mild.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.26; temperature, max. 58, min. 45; wind, 5 miles W.; precip., 0; foggy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.27; temperature, max. 54, min. 41; calm; foggy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, max. 56, min. 49; wind, 5 miles S.E.; precip., 0; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.01; temperature, max. 64, min. 45; wind, 5 miles W.; foggy.

First woman to receive a degree from a Canadian college was Miss Grace A. Lockhart, given a B.S. degree from Mount Allison University in 1875.

Max. Min.

Victoria 58 45

Nanaimo 64 40

Vancouver 54 41

New Westminster 54 41

Prince Rupert 56 40

Dawson 19 13

Seattle 62 46

Portland 71 44

San Francisco 64 43

Kamloops 57 35

Prince George 57 39

Kelowna 59 31

Penticton 59 31

Vernon 59 31

Nelson 54 35

Kaslo 54 35

Calgary 51 33

Edmonton 55 32

Prince Albert 52 32

Regina 55 30

Winnipeg 55 24

Toronto 61 46

Ottawa 62 49

Montreal 62 49

Furniture Burned

When fire of undetermined origin broke out in the home of Ronald Paige, 2819 Rockwell St., yesterday, considerable damage was done to furniture, Saanich firemen reported.

Due to the quick response of the fire department, which was called at 2, the house was saved from total destruction.

Mr. Paige returned home and found the house full of smoke from a fire believed to have started in a chesterfield.

Firemen were in attendance for an hour.

The department also attended a rubbish fire at Wascana Street and Simms Avenue at the same time.

Fisherman Drowns

B.C. police headquarters reported today Jack Tom, an Indian of Hesquiat, Vancouver Island, was drowned at 5:30 Sunday evening when he fell overboard from the fishing boat Josephine II, in Kendrick Inlet, Nootka Sound.

Word of the drowning was received from Sergeant H. Raybone of the P.M.L. 14, which was rushed to the scene.

Tom was a fisherman for the Nootka Canneries and was returning to Nootka from Zeballos when the accident occurred.

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R.C.A.F. Changes

Godfrey Moves to Ottawa, Stevenson Coming Here

Air Commodore A. E. Godfrey, officer commanding Western Air Command, with headquarters in Victoria, has been promoted to deputy inspector-general of the R.C.A.F. and will be transferred to Ottawa.

In Victoria he will be succeeded by Air Commodore F. L. Stevenson, until recently air officer commanding the R.C.A.F. in Great Britain.

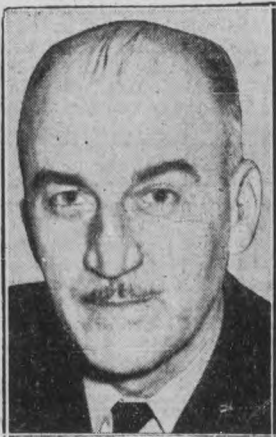
In Britain Air Vice-Marshal Edwards will succeed Commodore Stevenson and Group-Capt. J. S. Sully will succeed Vice-Marshal Edwards.

Air Commodore G. V. Walsh, air officer commanding No. 3 training command at Montreal will go to Washington, D.C., as air attaché in the Canadian Legation, succeeding Air Commodore W. R. Kenny who has been forced to resign because of sickness.

Group-Capt. J. L. E. A. de Niverville, now at R.C.A.F. headquarters in Ottawa and formerly director of air force training, will succeed Air Commodore Walsh.

All these changes were announced in Ottawa Wednesday night by Air Minister Power.

Commodore Godfrey, 51, gave distinguished service in the first Great War, winning the Military Cross and the Distinguished Flying Cross. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Godfrey of Vancouver, where he grew up and sold papers on the streets. As a boy of 12 he joined the 6th Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles and went overseas with the 11th



COMMODORE STEVENSON Comes to Victoria

C.M.R.'s. He went to France with the 1st Canadian Pioneer and won a commission in the field. He joined the R.A.F. as an observer.

COMMODORE GODFREY

In 1924 he joined the R.C.A.F. and since then he has been commanding officer at Camp Borden, Jericho Beach station at Vancouver, Ottawa air station and Rockcliffe, Ont., and Trenton, Ont., and finally officer commanding, Western Air Command.

Commodore Godfrey, following the 1914-18 war, served in commercial aviation, piloting planes between Victoria and Vancouver, landing at the Causeway, over which he has looked from his

Belmont House office for the last two years.

When his appointment as senior officer of the Western Air Command came, Commodore Godfrey was in Europe, during which time he toured the Maginot Line. He came directly from France to Victoria.

Earlier this year Commodore Godfrey was stationed in Halifax for four months as head of the Eastern Air Command. Next Monday he will go to Seattle to attend exercises of No. 2 Interceptor Force of the American Air Corps and will make another visit to Washington State October 30 to attend a full war strength parade of No. 3 division at Tacoma.

COMMODORE STEVENSON

Air Commodore Stevenson began his service career in 1910 when he enlisted in the 73rd Northumberland Regiment and was appointed captain of Richibucto Grammar School Cadet corps. In 1913 he went to Manitoba and joined the 32nd Manitoba Light Horse. Then, in 1914, he enlisted in the 32nd battalion (infantry) and in February, 1915, went overseas. He served with his battalion, the 8th "Little Black Devils," in all the battles from the second battle of Ypres to June, 1916, when he was granted a commission and returned to Canada as trench warfare instructor for a year.

Finally he was seconded from the army to the Royal Flying Corps.

After the war he served with the Manitoba forest service before he joined the R.C.A.F. in 1921. He served at a number of Manitoba points before taking over command of Winnipeg air station in 1927. At that time activities of the station extended from Fort William to Vancouver and between the Arctic ocean and the United States boundary. The job required a considerable knowledge of the country as well as a knowledge of flying.

In 1928, he was posted to England as R.C.A.F. liaison officer, later being attached to an aircraft carrier, and went to the Royal Naval Staff College. In 1930, he returned to Canada as assistant director of civil government air operations, and two years later was appointed staff officer air operations.

In 1936 he was transferred to a flying boat squadron at Vancouver, and during 1937-38 was engaged in training, reconnaissance and selection on bases on the Pacific.

When the western air command was established in April, 1938, he was made senior air staff officer. Next year he was transferred to Ottawa, and a month later to Camp Borden, Ont., to open and command No. 1 service flying training school, first unit of the British Commonwealth air training plan.

After an inspection trip to England he took temporary command of No. 1 training command, Toronto, and established No. 4 training command headquarters, Regina, where he remained until September, 1940, when he returned again to England as air officer commanding.

MARSHAL EDWARDS

Air Vice-Marshal Edwards—known in higher R.C.A.F. circles as "Gus"—was born in England, but came to Canada as a boy to settle with his family in Cape Breton Island.

In the first Great War he served in the navy and the Royal Naval Air Service. As a fighter pilot over France, Edwards was a member of an "independent air unit" under an organizational plan which ultimately brought British, French and United States units under one command at Nancy. He was taken prisoner in 1917, escaped twice, but never succeeded in crossing the frontier.

On his return to Canada he helped form the R.C.A.F., and has been with that service ever since. At the time of the Moose River mine accident Edwards was placed in charge of air rescue operations.

COMMODORE WALSH

Air Commodore Walsh, born in England in 1893, has spent the greater part of his life in Canada. During the Great War he enlisted with the Victoria Rifles in Montreal, and went overseas with the 24th Battalion, C.E.F.

When the R.C.A.F. was engaged in civil government air operations, Air Commodore Walsh commanded the Lac-du-Bonnet, Man., sub-base, and was later posted to command the High River, Alta., air station. He has filled a number of staff appointments.

Air Commodore Kenny served in the first Great War in the Royal Naval Air Service and R.A.F. in the anti-submarine patrol and with the fleet, winning the Distinguished Flying Cross.

CAPT. DE NIVERVILLE

Group Capt. de Niverville was born in Montreal, but received his education in Ottawa. He joined the R.C.F. in 1917, and served with that force and the R.A.F. until 1919. In 1931 he went to Vancouver R.C.A.F. air



COMMODORE GODFREY Goes to Ottawa

station as instructor on seaplane and second in command.

CAPT. SULLY

Group Capt. Sully is a native of Metcalfe, Ont., and has been closely associated with the development of military aviation in Canada. After completing his education in Ottawa, he went to western Canada and in 1916 enlisted with the 75th Battalion for overseas service.

In 1918 he was a member of the aviation mission to the United States, and was awarded the aviation medal of merit by the Aeronautical Society of America.

After the war he returned to Alberta to conduct an insurance business, and later was in Winnipeg and Montreal as district manager for a large insurance firm.

Fascist Press Says Hull False Witness

ROME (AP)—The Fascist press called the United States Secretary of State, Cordell Hull, a "vulgar agent provocateur" today for his advocacy of Neutrality Act modifications.

"As a statesman and government figure, Hull is a frantic organizer of crimes, a sure instrument for the worst things, for the most wretched undertakings," the newspaper Il Messaggero declared, contending President Roosevelt had given him the job of hastening the United States into participation in the war.

It called Mr. Hull's testimony Monday before the Senate foreign affairs committee "one of the most outrageous vituperative

EXPAND AIR FORCE

WASHINGTON (AP)—War Secretary Stimson announced today that the army air force is to expand the army air force to 400,000 flying cadets and enlisted men by next June 30, nearly tripling their present strength.

"Subsequent expansion, possibly to the 500,000 level, is possible beyond that date," Stimson said.

The present organization of the air force is based on 54 combat groups, whereas the enlarged program calls for 84 such groups, each composed of several squadrons.

The Secretary said the 54-group undertaking was "well on its way," but not yet completed. Congress was told the original program provided for a force of 25,000 planes, but Stimson declined to state how many of these were in service or how many were contemplated under the enlarged program.

"This new plan means we have reached the point where our air forces are expanding very rapidly," he told a press conference.

A flock of sheep is never totally asleep. The animals instinctively take turns keeping watch for disturbers.

speeches in the rich Rooseveltian anthology against the Axis.

Il Popolo di Roma called Hull a "false witness." It referred to his statement that Germany and Italy were trying to dominate the seas and intended to attack America.

"In point of provocations," it said, "we find ourselves today in the presence of a really extreme case."

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Mannheim Pounded In R.A.F. Night Raid

LONDON (CP)—British bombers raided the Rhineland, including the industrial centre of Mannheim, and also attacked docks in the German-occupied French ports of Le Havre and

Brest Wednesday night, the Air Ministry announced today.

Five planes are missing, it said. The British raiders crossed flights with Germans who dropped bombs over north Wales and Merseyside during the night. A communiqué said three Nazi raiders were shot down.

(Authorized sources in Berlin acknowledged the R.A.F. had struck overnight at several wes-

tern and southern German cities, causing some damage and killing and wounding civilians.)

British fliers were reported hammering again today at French ports, particularly Dunkerque, Calais and Boulogne.

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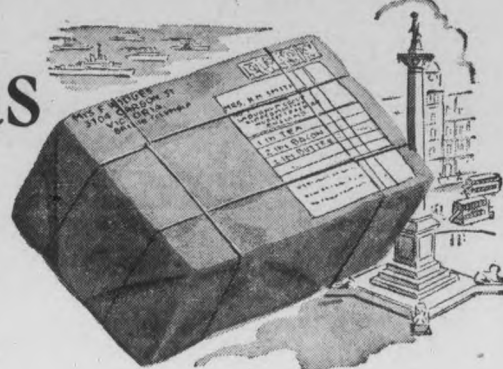
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Crowds Inspect Naval Barracks



"Bobs," mascot of H.M.C.S. Naden, poses on the lower parade ground of the Naval Barracks. To the left of the English bulldog is Dick Thorne and to the right, Herb. Moon. Thousands admired this pedigree animal which the Navy received as a present one month ago.

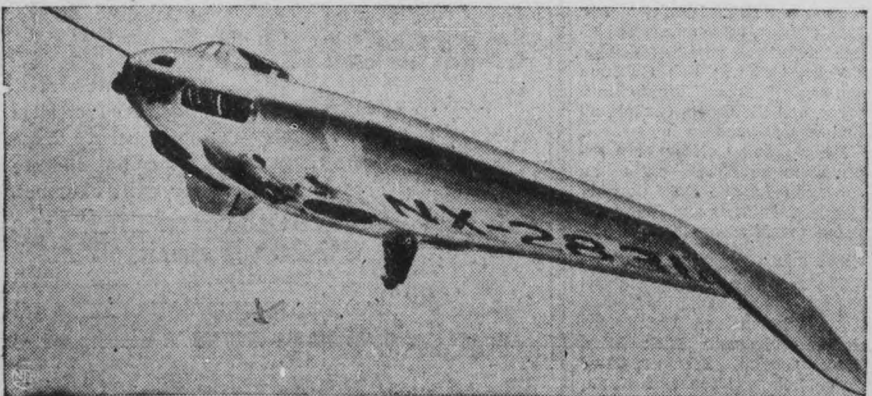


All reports have it that Navy food is tops, and just to prove it Isobel Brown, left, and Mrs. D. Buie, sample some soup, as Leading Cook Reg. Buck, stands by, beaming. This picture was taken Wednesday afternoon in the galley of H.M.C.S. Naden when the barracks were thrown open to thousands of sightseers.



The Navy has many traditions, but Leading Cook Gerry Levigne, right, shows a small crowd that the senior service isn't averse to labor-saving devices like the Hobart mixer, in which pastry and bread dough is kneaded.

Bat-like Plane May Get in Hitler's Hair



REVOLUTIONARY PLANE that may be a big trump card in America's play for air supremacy gets a testing over Hawthorne, Cal. Bat-shaped machine developed by Northrop Aircraft has no fuselage or tail, employs two engines buried in the wings and driving pusher propellers through 10-foot shafts.



DEATH ON A BIKE—Marine parachutists are testing sectional bicycles as part of their equipment. At Lakehurst, N.J., Pvt. Douglas Boyd shows what he'd look like after landing, assembling bike and getting tommy gun ready for action.



SOVIET SENTINEL—Many a Moscowling Russian besides Marshal Timoshenko stands guard over the Red capital. This plain girl student swapped hairnet for bayonet to take post at university entrance.

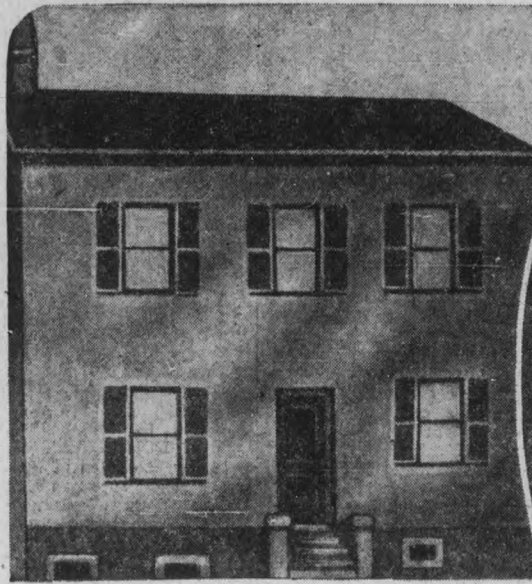


REFUGEE ROMANCE—Pamela Glover, 2 years, and Frank Baldwin, 18 months, apparently are thataway. They are evacuated London youngsters.



PUSS IN LOOT—Some \$400 worth of fish and catnip is in order for Mrs. May Birdsell's little black cat, Kitkit, after it turned up playing with \$7,500 pearl necklace on lawn of her Rye, N.Y., home. Insurance company paid the reward.

Queen's University Celebrates Its 100th Anniversary



It was in this rented house at Kingston, Ont., that Queen's classes began on March 7, 1842, with two professors and 10 students.



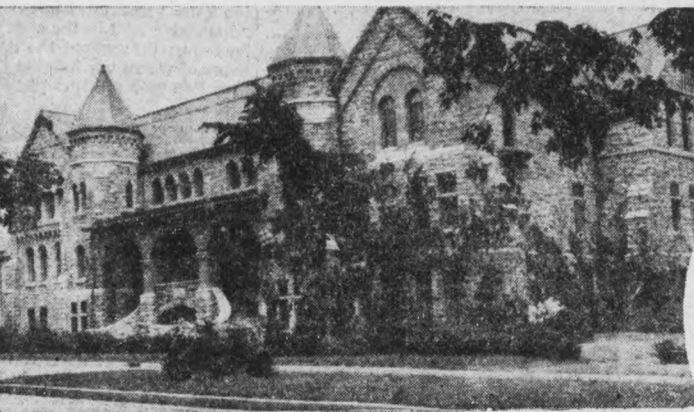
The Earl of Athlone, Governor-General of Canada, installed as rector last week.



Hon. Charles A. Dunning, LL.D., Chancellor of Queen's, who delivered the address of welcome.



Top, Miller Hall, housing the mineralogy and geology departments. Lower, principal's residence, which comprised the entire university.



Stately Ontario Hall, in which buildings the physics and chemical engineering branches are maintained.



Dr. R. C. Wallace, principal of Queen's, who addressed great gathering at Kingston, Ont., which celebrated Queen's 100th anniversary.



TRIBUTE WAS PAID TO THE WORK OF MCGILL UNIVERSITY by its Graduates' Society, when alumni members heard a stirring account of the institution's contribution to the military, political, social life of Canada at the quinquennial reunion dinner. Principal F. Cyril James is seen addressing the gathering. Lt.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, a McGill graduate, was heard from London and the Earl of Athlone, Governor-General of Canada and Visitor of the University, was heard from Quebec. Seated at the head table were left to right: G. McL. Pitts, president of the society and chairman of the evening; Chief Justice R. A. E. Greenshields, W. M. Birks, Dr. Lewis W. Douglas, former principal of McGill, and Miss Muriel Wilson.

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

WITH alley bowling enjoying one of its greatest seasons in Victoria here are some interesting facts on the sport as penned by Harry Grayson, noted United States scribe:

As teams make reservations for the 1942 American Bowling Congress tournament, one of the biggest of all sports nominations, in Columbus, O., records show that 71 keggers hold an average of 200 or better in the last two . . . Ned Day of West Allis, Wis., who claims the match game championship, heads the list over the 18-game route with an average of 214 . . . Day finished 12th and 10th in the all-events division, proving that you don't have to acquire a title to be top man . . . Fred Fischer of Buffalo, 1940 all-events king with 2,001, holds a 208-average for the 18 games . . . Harold Kelly of South Bend, took the all-events last spring with 2,013, but his 1,583 in 1940 keeps him off the 200 list . . . Averages of celebrated bowlers on the list are: Cone Hermann of St. Louis, 210; Joe Falcato, New York, 205; and Johnny Crimmins, Detroit, 204 . . . Andy Varipapa, Brooklyn's famous trick shot artist, is in at 202.

High scores rolled this season: Team total, Schlitz of Chicago, 3,253; women's team total, Gersons of Chicago, 2,793; team game, Vance's of Anderson, Ind., 1,189; women's team game, Jesse James Girls of St. Joseph, Mo., 1,016; individual total, Eddie Koepp of Cleveland, 806; women's individual game, Nina Van Camp of Chicago, 270 . . . Ann Bosinger, Stanford junior, rolled 223 in her first appearance at a San Francisco alley . . . She is a member of the Stanford girls' team which competes in a regular

league . . . The 7-pin stuck on him, so young Mike Earach had to settle for 299 at Middletown, O. . . Carl Mensenberg of Lancaster, Pa., the fourth man to roll 300 in an ABC, rolled 742 in league competition . . . Each game was featured by seven strikes and three spares . . . There were no opens.

Bill Scheduling, a soldier at Fort Knox, substituted in a Louisville league and manufactured a total of 696, proving that army life doesn't ruin a bowling arm . . . Despite the stress of defence work, Lieut. Charley Wagner of the United States Navy finds time to bowl in several Philadelphia leagues . . . Lieutenant Wagner rolled 711 in the singles for 11th place in his first ABC last spring . . . The feat disclosed that Lieutenant Wagner had been in the navy 39 years, barely short of the 41-year life of ABC competition . . . He probably has bowled in more countries than any other man.

Bowling alleys frequently are referred to as sidewalks . . . Well, eight old alleys were torn out, and now actually are sidewalks surrounding a building in Lincolnwood, Ill. . . And very good sidewalks they are . . . George Giles, Cleveland printer, converted the 3-6-7-8-10, a rare occurrence . . . Fred Weber, the gutter-ball czar of Milwaukee, who last year pitched 67 balls into the gutter, is well on his way this season, having already pitched seven . . . Weber's first one this season was particularly painful as he had three strikes in a row when the urge seized him . . . The urge doesn't keep him from being a highly-regarded kegler . . . He's been with one team for four consecutive seasons . . . A new women's league in Syracuse is known simply as the Kitchen Mechanics.

Dutton Speaks

Chapman Not Playing

PORT ARTHUR (CP) — Art Chapman's plans to return to National Hockey League warfare as a player with the New York Americans received a setback last night from Mervyn (Red) Dutton, Americans' manager.

"Art won't play for me this winter or any other winter," said Red when he learned that his coach had announced his intention to return to the American line-up to help Dutton fill the gaps in his player ranks.

"I appreciate his willingness to help, but he's getting too old to go back into hockey," added Red. "I won't let him expose himself to injuries that might do him permanent damage."

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U.S. Golf Title Gets Wood \$60,000

NEW YORK (AP)—How much money do you think Craig Wood will make out of his United States open golf title for the fiscal year? Sixty thousand dollars may be conservative.

Here are some facts and figures kneaded together by Freddy Corcoran, the P.G.A. tournament manager who knows about such things: "Start with the open," Corcoran explains. "He got a \$2,500 company bonus for winning that. He has competed in eight tournaments, with a \$500 appearance cheque for each. His prize money for the tournaments, counting the \$1,000 for the open, totals about \$5,000.

"He has engaged in 30 exhibitions, at an average of \$250 each. We can figure he has received \$2,500 for endorsements, and around \$2,000 for a movie. He won \$2,500 in a challenge match with Vic Ghezzi, P.G.A. champion.

"Let's see, that's \$26,000 already earned, and he's only had the title about five months, with the winter program ahead of him. He has 30 more exhibitions lined up between now and late in November, at \$250 more each. On top of that you can add an estimated \$10,000 more for his affiliation with the Winged Foot Club and a sporting goods company, and maybe another \$10,000 for his connection down south next winter. He may winter in Miami.

"All in all, I'd say \$60,000 was a cheap estimate for the 12-month period after winning the open."

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Coming With Radials



DON COWAN



JOHNNY MACKAY

Saturday afternoon at the Athletic Park the lid will be raised on Coast League soccer in Victoria for the 1941-42 season when Victoria United engages Vancouver Radials, former Canadian champions. Kickoff is set for 3 with Dave McMillan as referee. Two of the star performers for Radials are the two boys above. Cowan will be at left half and Mackay at centre forward.

Table Tennis Tourney

Good Matches Seen

Alsab Declared Out of Special

CHICAGO (AP)—The thrill of a lifetime for any horseman is to see his colors come home in front of a Kentucky Derby field—and the Sabaths of Chicago have their fingers crossed.

Albert Sabath, Chicago attorney, and his attractive wife believe they have a real chance to take the 1942 Derby. Their reason is Alsab, sensational two-year-old bay colt which cost them only \$700 but which already has won \$102,800. Yesterday they declared him out of the Pimlico Special to be run October 30—and behind that decision lies their derby hopes.

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Victoria Cricket Officers Returned

By acclamation, the entire board of retiring officers of the Victoria and District Cricket Association was re-elected at the annual meeting Wednesday night.

The complete slate of officers for the 1942 season follows: Honorary patron, Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Woodward; honorary president, Sir Richard Lake; president, Major P. F. Howden; vice-president, G. Gardiner; secretary, W. I. Land; treasurer, A. W. Kerslake. P. Payne, E. D. Freeman and Hubert LeMay were named members of the selection committee.

Cricketers paid tribute to individual members of the executive for their work in keeping the game in existence here under war conditions. Officials pointed out that the season had been a success, considerable credit being given to army and air force cricketers who played in numerous exhibition games.

Tribute was paid to the memory of two Victoria cricketers, W. J. Moffat and Teddy Robbins, who died this year.

BALL CHAMPIONS RECEIVE AWARDS

Eagles Home, View Street, was crowded with more than 400 members and guests last night to witness the presentation of wrist watches to members of the Eagles senior and second division baseball teams, winners of the city championships.

Dave Essler, president of the Victoria Aerie No. 12, F.O.E., was in the chair and made the presentations. The Eagles senior squad won the Rithet Cup, city championship trophy, the McGavin Cup, first half league honors, and the second division club won the Humphreys Cup, city second division championship silverware.

W. J. Cull, president of the Victoria Baseball Association, and Joe Casey, manager of the Victoria All-Stars, spoke briefly, congratulating the Eagles teams on their fine showings.

Entertainment and a buffet supper followed.

New Ice Arena Opening Scheduled Nov. 1 or 5

Give Prize for Smallest Fish

By HUGH FULLERTON
NEW YORK (AP)—Ever hear the one about the little fish that didn't get away? The George Ruppert fishing contest offers prizes for the smallest fish caught as well as the big ones. Current leader is a black sea bass weighing 75 grains or 0.1714 ounces.

Today's Guest Star—Jerry Mitchell, New York Post: "Zeke Bonura was released by the army. His 33 years made him an over-aged destroyer."

Hot Stove Warm-up—Latest rumors about Gabby Hartnett is that he'll manage the Phillies next year, but there's some doubt whether Gerry Nugent would put up the kind of dough Gabby would demand for that job. One ball player who won't have a chance to hold back a few dimes from his pay is Johnny Rigney. His new bride, the former Dorothy Comiskey, is treasurer of the Chicago White Sox and signs Johnny's pay cheques.

Cleaning the Cuff—The Pascoag, R.I., Park race track will present a "Marlene Dietrich" trophy Saturday to the horse with "the most perfect legs." If one turns up with legs like Marlene's the spectators probably will have to be deceived.

Wrong Approach—When Umpire Beans Reardon was asking President Ford Frick of the National League for a raise, he remarked: "I'd retire from umpiring if I had enough money." The Frick promptly turned down the raise for fear Beans really meant it.

Lake Hill Lawn Bowling Club will hold a social and presentation of prizes at the Lake Hill Community Centre, Friday evening at 8. Annual meeting will be held in the clubhouse on November 7, at 8.

Toronto Leafs Strong

Get Amateur Stars

ST. CATHARINES, Ont. (CP)—Strong from the goal out, the only flaw in what on paper and past performance is a potential Stanley Cup champion is a sag at right wing. This in brief is a picture of Clarence (Hap) Day's Toronto Maple Leafs as they tick off the days at their St. Catharines' training camp, waiting for the opening of the National Hockey League November 1.

Never niggardly in the number of players carried, the Leafs this year took 29 to training camp and Day expects to retain at least 19. The club, as at present planned, will carry one goalie; five defencemen; four complete forward lines, one and possibly two utility men.

In addition to numbers, the Toronto club has class. Turk Broda last year won the Vezina trophy—awarded to the goalie who allowed the least number of goals. The club also boasts two members of the Canadian Press all-star team—defencemen Wally Stanowski and left-winger Sweeney Schriner.

"We've got the best all-round defence corps in the league and at the moment can hardly improve on it," said Day. "But last year we had three right wingers who scored only four goals apiece. That's the spot we have to bolster."

In addition to Stanowski the club has the following defencemen: Bingo Kampman, Bucko McDonald, Reg. Hamilton and Jack Church, all veterans and almost sure to be retained; Frankie Eddolls, Oshawa; Bob Goldham and Ernie Dickens, Toronto Marlboros, and Vic Grigg, Guelph, all juniors last year.

Eddolls and Goldham are expected to be farmed out to an American League club, possibly Hershey. Dickens and Grigg are slated for Marlboro seniors.

FRONT LINES

The forwards are captain Syl Apps, Pete Langelle, Billy Taylor, Normie Mann and Dick Kowcinak, centre-men; Nick Metz, Hank Goldup, Schriner, Red Heron, Bob Davidson, Nick Knott, and Bob Depew, left-wingers; Gordie Drillon, Johnny McCree, Harold Frost, Gus Marker, Peanuts O'Flaherty and Don Metz, right-wingers.

First Class Plant Will Greet Skaters

Opening of Victoria's new ice arena at the Willows will take place either November 1 or 5. This was the announcement made today by H. B. (Barney) Olson, who is responsible for giving this city a skating palace after 12 iceless years.

Work of installing the ice-making equipment is going ahead rapidly under the supervision of R. Sargent, refrigeration engineer from Montreal. Laying and testing of the pipes is near completion, and the first sheet of ice should make its appearance within a short time, providing no setbacks are experienced.

Soon as the ice-making equipment has been pronounced in order the definite date for the opening of the arena will be announced. Two big compressors have been set up, and the motors to operate the plant will be ready for installation within a few days.

Alterations to the building to make it suitable for a skating arena are just about completed. The lounge room for the benefit of the skaters and the fans on hockey nights is ready. It will be one of the finest of its kind in any arena in Canada, and has drawn much praise from people familiar with skating rinks throughout the Dominion.

Tenders have been received for the construction of an additional 800 seats on the two ends, and work is expected to start shortly. Although these seats will not be completed for the first skating session they will be ready for the initial Inter-city Hockey League game on November 14.

Official opening of the arena will not take place until the night of the first hockey game, when the Victoria team will stack up against Nanaimo Clippers. That evening the opening ceremony will take place with Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward among the guests.

Get Amateur Stars

The newcomers among the forwards are Kowcinak and McCree, last year with Sydney Millionaires; Depew, Marlboro junior; Forst from Hershey and O'Flaherty, if present indications mean anything, will stick for the time being. Kowcinak and Depew are slated to play amateur again.

The front-line formations, as established in practice, are Apps, Nick Metz and Drillon; Taylor, Schriner and Frost; Langelle, Goldup and McCree, all three of which are expected to remain together; Heron, Knott and Don Metz, Davidson, Mann and O'Flaherty; Kowcinak, Depew and Marker. Drillon is the only established scoring right-winger.

Day, embarking upon his second year as coach, will be strictly on his own with his ex-boss, Major Conn Smythe, on active service with the Canadian army. Smythe, who built up the Maple Leaf organization from scratch, says he won't have time for hockey.

"I'll be too busy looking after my new team" (he referred to his R.C.A. battery) to give any attention to my old team," he told the players when he turned over control to Day—his former pupil and now his successor.

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Boxla Series May Be Played

It looks like James Bay and Salmon Arm are going to play off for the intermediate box lacrosse championship of B.C. Present plans call for the series to be played next week, on the evenings of October 28, 30 and 31 at the Sports Centre.

This was decided at a special meeting of the Greater Victoria Box Lacrosse Association yesterday afternoon at which the original \$200 guarantee to Salmon Arm was raised to \$300 at the request of the interior champions.

The interior team was notified of the bigger ante and the new dates of play last night, an answer being awaited before the final O.K. stamp is put on the proceedings.

The Salmon Arm team, from available reports, is large, heavy and fast. Its system of attack is not as well developed as that of the Bays, but the boys are adept at plunging through the middle and once on goal know how to shoot. Their type of play is rugged and of the crowd-pleasing variety.

The Bays want badly to win this series in order that they may officially claim the B.C. title. Ted Menzies' boys are awaiting sweaters, already ordered, for which crests, proclaiming them the champs of the province, have been made.

Racing Results

TANFORAN—Horse racing results here yesterday follow:

First race—Six furlongs: Gordon Gift (Maltair) —\$7.60 \$4.00 \$2.60 Blondel (Paclo) — 14.20 2.20 Tay Sweep (Balask) — 4.20 2.20 Time 1:13 3-5. Also ran: Nony G, Tigh Nae Gow, Alcantoro, Scots Pride, Laffin Loner, Corinthian.

Second race—Six furlongs: Mar Route (Corbett) —\$4.20 \$3.40 \$2.90 Sweet Nublie (Grohs) — 11.00 7.20 Get Good (Longden) — 4.40 2.20 Time 1:14. Also ran: Max Greenock, Rhetoric, Crystal Shimes, Valinda Gadget, Gailant Stand, Lady Milbrae, Gold Lady, Galtia, Vegas Jangle.

Third race—Six furlongs: Mulligatween (Wahlie) —\$15.80 \$8.80 \$5.80 Bar Route (Corbett) — 18.00 10.20 Night Rider (Longden) — 4.20 2.20 Time 1:14 3-5. Also ran: Jess Greenock, Don Devito, Shellmond, Jodas Joe.

Fourth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Iron Peter (Corbett) —\$10.00 \$4.00 \$3.60 Valinda Gnome (Neves) — 5.80 3.80 Sword Play (Longden) — 4.20 2.20 Time 1:45 2-5. Also ran: Armada Miss, Bridgetta, Showdown, Silver Treason, Dixie Dew, Yag, Mosko, Under, Brig O' Day.

Fifth race—Six furlongs: Downey Fallow (Dedson) —\$24.40 \$10.20 \$5.00 Musical Jack (Longden) — 14.20 2.20 Gay Gacket (Hooper) — 3.60 2.20 Time 1:13. Also ran: Clipper Braid, Chance Out, Ellingbille, Burgoon, Trail, Canterer, Brother Higher.

Sixth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Bulwark (London) —\$6.40 \$3.00 \$2.80 Gold Teddy (Zufelt) — 2.20 2.20 Don Lin (Corbett) — 4.20 2.20 Time 1:43 3-5. Also ran: Anthology, African Queen, Big League, Count D'O'r, Step By.

Seventh race—Mile and 70 yards: The Pop (Grohs) —\$11.40 \$8.20 \$4.80 Page Boy (Strangle) — 7.50 5.50 Evil Spirit (Gray) — 4.80 2.20 Time 1:42 3-5. Also ran: Moot Question, Triplane, Mad Mischief, Count Valiant, One Shen.

Eighth race—Mile and three-sixteenth: Camp Ground (Lee) —\$12.40 \$6.40 \$3.80 Destination (Gray) — 5.00 3.20 Jockaroo (Woods) — 4.20 2.20 Time 1:59 1-5. Also ran: Imtrita, Red-rock Canyon, Anneland, Idle Lad.

CLEVELAND (AP)—Bob Feller, ace pitcher with Cleveland Indians, Wednesday was placed in class 1-A by his local selective service board.

Wayne L. Thompson, secretary of board No. 2, said Feller's order number is 2,857, and that it "will be a long time before he will have to go."

"We have no calls for November and there are a lot of 1-A men ahead of Feller," he said. "It's impossible to guess when he will be called, because there are all kinds of 1-A registrants ahead."

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Ask Stewards For Tip Data

J. E. McMullen, K.C., appearing for the B.C. Coast Steamship Service, C.P.R., sought today to determine what gratuities stewards secured for their services as the board of conciliation under Mr. Justice Sidney Smith continued hearings of claims by stewards, deck employees and engineer room workers for higher basic pay and better working conditions.

Stewards to whom his queries were addressed said they were very small.

After John Chipperfield, waiter for 20 years with the company, a married man maintaining his own home, had sketched working conditions in which he contended he cared for 18 or 19 cabins now where he previously had looked after 12 for the same pay, Mr. McMullen suggested that returned him more tips.

"Not necessarily," Mr. Chipperfield replied.

Mr. McMullen suggested he would have more baggage to carry and receive more tips.

"I've carried bags for you, sir," the steward replied.

"I paid you," Mr. McMullen replied.

"Not very much, sir," Mr. Chipperfield replied, "about 15 cents."

When Mr. McMullen suggested his earnings enabled him to buy his home, the steward replied his wife had worked to help pay for their dwelling.

TOO SMALL TO NOTICE

F. H. Partridge also stated he was unable to say how much he made in tips. "They're too small to keep track of," he stated before saying he carried bags for probably 60 passengers a month, and received gratuities from about 40 or 45 ranging from 10 to 25 cents.

J. L. Pateman, representing the groups petitioning for increases in the wage scale, opened today's proceedings with the statement lack of organization had left certain groups in "pitifully low" wage classes to which, he contended, the company had adopted a "take it or leave it" attitude.

He contended overtime payments had been neglected to certain employees and said time-off regulations for overtime were too easily evaded.

Following testimony from the two stewards, the board heard a look-out man, who contended overtime concessions had been disallowed and described working conditions subject to protest.

GIVES FIGURES

Captain R. W. McMurray returned to the stand to submit statements showing comparisons between wages paid by the C.P.R., B.C. Coast Service and those paid by the Canadian National, Union Steamships, Canada Steamships, and the Dominion government. The statements disclosed payments by the B.C. Coast Service to be in line with those made by the others for the class of worker over whom the dispute arises.

The hearing adjourned for luncheon after Mr. Pateman had



REV. T. R. LANCASTER received word Monday that he had been appointed chaplain in the R.C.A.F. He left Wednesday for No. 2 Manning Depot, Brandon, where he will be posted to a station. Mr. Lancaster was rector at Holy Trinity Church, Saanichton, for five years. Previous to that he was assistant priest at Christ Church Cathedral.

declined a suggestion from Mr. Justice Smith for a round-table conference without the board members in the hopes of ironing out difficulties between the company and employees.

B.C. Election

Service Vote Makes No Change

The vote cast by men in the services stationed overseas and in other parts of Canada was so evenly divided between the three major parties that they made no appreciable difference in the provincial election results.

Out of 4,748 ballots marked by soldiers, sailors and airmen on active service outside the province, 1,691 went to Liberal candidates, 1,471 to Conservatives, 1,424 C.C.F. and 154 to minor party candidates.

Frank Putnam, Liberal, got a margin of 12 badly needed votes to protect his slim lead in Nelson-Creston riding. He polled 40 of the services votes, against 28 for M. C. Donaldson, Conservative and 27 for Frank Frisby, C.C.F. Latest figures for Nelson-Creston with these included are as follows: Putnam, 2,103; Donaldson, 2,089; Frisby, 2,071.

Premier Pattullo got 10 service votes to 5 for his C.C.F. opponent which increased his narrow majority in Prince Rupert.

In the Greater Victoria ridings the service vote did not make any difference.

Finance Minister Hart got 83, Mrs. Nancy Hodges 41 and W. T. Straith, K.C. 58. Major J. D. Hunter received 67, Ald. D. D. McTavish 54 and Waldo Skillings 43. Among the C.C.F., W. B. Caird received 35, Mrs. Clare McAllister 32 and H. O. Simpson 42. Major A. J. Jukes received 6.

In Oak Bay Herbert Anson got 14, Prof. E. S. Farr 11 and Geoffrey LeGallais 5.

Norman Whittaker and Lieut. Col. Macgregor Macintosh each received 24 in Saanich and Martin Neilson 14. In Esquimalt Commander C. T. Beard got 11, Flying Officer E. V. Finland 42 and Harry Webber 19.

Queen's Canadian fund for air raid victims, contributions for week ending October 22, announced by Royal Trust: Miss Mary F. Dawson \$50, Mrs. Claude Gardiner \$10, Rosalie Loubens (Berkeley, Calif.), \$11; Jane Ewing \$10.

TOWN TOPICS

The housing shortage in Greater Victoria will be the subject of an address by Mrs. H. S. Hurn, chairman of the housing committee of social agencies to the Victoria Real Estate Board Friday at 12.15 at Spencer's.

Thomas B. Flake, alias "Sleepy Tom," was sentenced to one month hard labor in jail by Magistrate H. C. Hall in City Police Court today when he was convicted of having in his possession a hat stolen from W. and J. Wilson on October 14.

Friday evening at 8 in the Sooke Hall Major A. Ranson will give a lecture on certain phases of A.R.P. work. All able-bodied persons in the Sooke area which includes Jordan River, Shirley, Otter Point, East Sooke, Saseenos and North Sooke, are requested to attend.

Washington P.T.A. To Convene Here

American and Canadian parents and teachers will share views on their many common problems affecting children at a conference to be held in the Empress Hotel next Monday. The Washington Congress of Parents and Teachers will be the guests of the British Columbia Parent-Teacher Federation.

These border conferences are held annually and this year Seattle was to have been host. However, owing to war conditions, the British Columbia delegates found difficulty in accepting the invitation issued by the Washington body, so the hosts decided to come here.

The session will start at 9.30 Monday with Mrs. J. S. Stewart of Longview, president of the Washington Congress in the chair, and other officers and delegates from the Washington unit presenting the program.

The keynote of the meeting will be taken from the Washington Congress theme: "Children: Our First Responsibility." The programs for both morning and afternoon sessions will feature panel discussions.

Representing the Washington Congress, besides Mrs. Stewart, will be Mrs. Charles E. Franklin of Seattle, chairman of the conference; Mrs. Morris D. Kennedy of the state group; Mrs. Sidney Livingston of Pasco, sixth vice-president, and Mrs. T. C. Beardsley of Tacoma, general secretary.

The following council presidents have also been invited to participate in the program: Mrs. Dale J. Marble of Seattle, Mrs. C. C. Pratt of Tacoma, Mrs. O. A. Boortz of Everett, Mrs. Robert H. Jacques of Bremerton and Mrs. A. E. Doolittle of Bellingham.

DANCE ASSISTS GIRLS' DRILL TEAM

Members of Majestic Council, Royal Arcanum, staged a benefit dance for the Victoria Girls' Drill Team at the Crystal Garden, Tuesday.

Grand Regent H. J. Applegate thanked the drill team for assistance rendered the council and complimented the girls on their smartness, efficiency and the work they were doing in publicizing the City of Victoria.

The "Swingettes Octet" presented a floor show. The performers were Misses Velda Willie, Kathleen Burns, Betty Cuth, June Gibson, Rhoda Leaman, Theresa Perkins, "Dinky" Sanderson and "Pinky" Sanderson.

Investigate Thefts

City detectives are investigating thefts of \$62 from the cash register of the Fort Service Station, Fort and Vancouver, Tuesday noon and Wednesday evening.

Detective D. Donaldson was called to the station by the proprietor, F. Finlayson, at 5.10 Wednesday evening. Mr. Finlayson stated \$25 was taken from the cash register Tuesday and \$37 Wednesday. No one was in the station at the time, he said.

New Companies

Six new B.C. companies were incorporated this week, as follows:

Krass Portrait Studio Ltd., \$10,000, Vancouver.
Golden Rain Stock Farm Ltd., \$75,000, North Vancouver.
Syd Smith U Drive Ltd., \$10,000, Kamloops.

S. F. Kirkpatrick Ltd., 100 shares, Vancouver.
Tax Audits Ltd., 100 shares, Vancouver.

Aida Mine Ltd., \$25,000, Vancouver.

Penny-a-week Pilots

LONDON (CP)—Four London bus drivers are now ferry pilots delivering planes from factories to the Royal Air Force. They learned to fly before the war under a penny-a-week plan.

Oil Controller Here

Gas Curtailment Having Effect

"I came here to get some peace and quiet, but I cannot find it," tersely commented Oil Controller George R. Cottrell when newspapermen dug him out of his room at the Empress Hotel this morning.

"Conscientious people are responding to the order, yes, but there are others who are not," said Mr. Cottrell in response to a question as to how the public were observing the government order for the reduction of non-commercial use of gasoline.

"Curtailment of gasoline deliveries?"

"We are giving it a fair trial and it is having its effect." The stocky, bald, tight-lipped oil controller appeared to be in an irritable mood, but he felt better after breakfast.

'GOT A WAR ON'

"Don't forget that we've got a war on," he said. "It's Hitler that's making us do this. Yes, there is plenty of gas on this continent, but it's a case of getting it here. The tankers are not available."

"We took 8,700,000 barrels out of the Turner Valley and we came short of taking care of the western market by having to import 600,000 barrels of crude and over 1,000,000 barrels of white products."

The oil controller declined to say what further steps would be taken in controlling consumption of gasoline if the public did not comply with the government's order to conserve.

Amplifying his statements on

Marketing Inquiry

Suggests One Vegetable Board

Testifying before the commission appointed to investigate marketing, James E. Lane, chairman of the provincial marketing board, said today there had been no complaints about the secrecy of the ballot used in electing members for the local boards.

Discussions followed about representations on the boards. H. W. Davey, counsel for the Vancouver Island Potato Growers' Association, suggested that a personal rather than a mailed ballot be used. Mr. Lane said the present system worked very well. Mr. Davey submitted a plan for reorganizing the act. It will be considered later.

Questioned why two vegetable marketing boards were necessary, Mr. Lane said the interior board had formerly done an extra-provincial business and therefore was in closer touch with the Dominion government than the coast board which had almost a purely provincial market. Mr. Davey suggested that the reason was no longer significant now the Dominion act had been scrapped and the interior board's market was largely in Vancouver and Victoria.

"There is something in that," Mr. Lane replied.

Asked whether large producers and organizations of producers had not advantages over the small, individual producer, Mr. Lane said the board had been generous in permitting the small producer to sell locally where he had the market.

Hearings will continue this afternoon.

OPEN LEADERSHIP COURSE AT 'Y'

Wednesday evening the first of six evenings on Leadership Training took place at the Y.W.C.A. with a representative group from the churches and the Y.W. hearing Mr. Frank Tupman, on "Songs and How to Lead Them."

Mrs. A. Sullivan on "Book Reviews," and Miss Minnie Beveridge giving an illustrated talk on "Handicrafts." Mrs. Richard Felton convener of the committee in charge of the series, was the chairman and Miss Ruth Bawtenheimer assisted Mr. Tupman at the piano.

Next Wednesday at 8 o'clock the course will include, "Negro Spirituals," presented by Mrs. W. H. Wilson; "The Art of Leadership," by Miss Pearl Willows of the Oriental Home staff; and "Group Worship," by Mrs. J. L. W. McLean. Mrs. Alastair Campbell will chair the meeting.

Mimeographed bulletins will be distributed to all registrants commencing next Wednesday and Miss Margaret Stewart is preparing this material. The course is open to all leaders and workers with young people and is a practical help for anyone interested in further training for volunteer work.

the need of supplying the armed forces with gas and oil, the controller said:

"British Columbia is a war province entirely, and nothing is being done except to meet the war's demands."

FORCES NEED GAS

"My job," he said, "is to provide aviation gas for the Commonwealth Air Training scheme and the R.C.A.F., also fuel oil for the navy and motor gas and lubricating oil for the army."

"Having regard to our tanker shortage in the world today and the impossibility of chartering outside tonnage, we have to get along with what we can get possession of. The process within itself creates a shortage of motor gas. We have to take a cut out of the crude we get in for aviation. Next, we take out requirements of heavy and light fuel. That left is motor gas, and the army has a claim on that."

Of the tanker shortage, with particular regard to this coast, Mr. Cottrell said: "At the present time we are using any merchant ship coming from the south to bring in oil in bunkers. On this coast we have only one small tanker and one barge under the Canadian flag. If for any reason we had to use this tanker and barge to bring in fuel oil for naval purposes it is plain what would happen to our gasoline supplies."

"The fact remains that if delivery is stopped today this coast would be dry in a month."

OBITUARY

FIELD — Rev. H. M. Bolton conducted last rites at St. Mary's Church, Metehosin, Wednesday, for Mrs. Phoebe A. Field. Interment was in St. Mary's Churchyard. Pallbearers were: R. P. Seabrook, W. Dallimore, G. Bigh, G. W. Pears, W. Witty and W. O. Sweetman. McCall Bros. had charge.

HUNTER — Rev. T. M. McAllister conducted the funeral service held in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel Wednesday for Alexander Dalgleish Hunter. Mrs. E. Ripley represented the Ladies' Auxiliary of Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion in Royal Oak Park. The following acted as pallbearers: T. Patterson, A. L. Stevenson, J. Stevenson, R. Terries, J. Crossen and J. Valo.

McKAY — The funeral of Robert George, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George McKay, 568 Rithet Street, who died Wednesday at St. Joseph's Hospital, will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Friday at 2.30.

HANCOCK — The funeral of John Charles Hancock will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Saturday at 2, Rev. T. H. McAllister officiating. Interment at Colwood.

NICHOLSON — Rev. F. W. McKinnon conducted funeral service for Charles Nicholson in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon. Interment at Royal Oak.

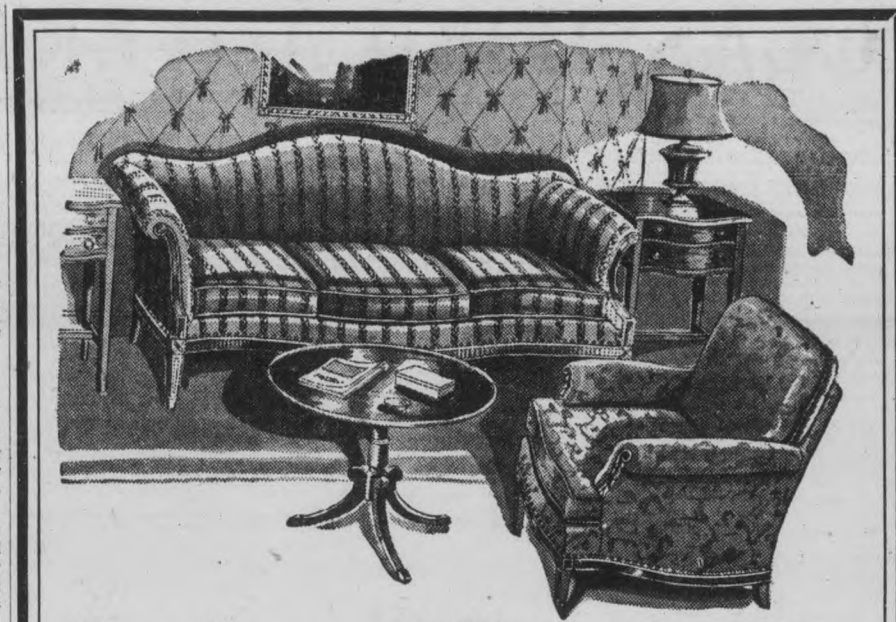
HOLMES — Mrs. Florence Clarissa Holmes, widow of Frederick James Holmes, and known more familiarly as Nurse Holmes, died Thursday at her home, 640 Moss Street, aged 65. She was born in Bournemouth, Northfield, Wores, England, and had been a resident of Victoria 16 years. She leaves one son, Frederick H., at home; her mother and one sister in England, and one sister in Australia. Rev. J. R. Fife will conduct service at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Saturday afternoon at 3.30. Interment at Colwood.

SKELHAN — Rev. Father C. T. Wriglesworth celebrated mass at St. Andrew's Cathedral Thursday for Bernard Joseph Skehan, late of the Corps of Commissioners. Q.M.S. W. Brankley was in attendance, and pallbearers were: Sergt.-Major L. A. Marchant, Staff-Sergt. E. C. Freegard, Commissioners C. F. White, A. Derbyshire, W. M. Hamilton and D. B. Robertson. Interment at Royal Oak. McCall Bros. were funeral directors.

Extend Plant
A permit for \$5,700 construction for the Pacific Sheet Metal Works Ltd. on View Street, was issued by the city building inspector's department today as the firm made arrangements for the first half of an \$11,000 plant development project.

Another permit today called for a \$1,000 addition to the coffee shop, dine and dance and assembly hall at 270 Dallas Road for George Horkan.

Yesterday David Spencer Ltd. secured permission for \$1,250 alterations to its retail store.



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Car Accidents Blamed on Fog

Three traffic accidents in which two people were injured Wednesday night and this morning were blamed on heavy fog which blanketed the city and districts and generally upset everyday conditions.

The fog arrived early Wednesday night and was still proving to be an annoyance in several areas today. During the night and today it cleared in many sections but in most cases later made unwelcome returns.

The weatherman at Gonzales Meteorological Observatory said today the fog would probably extend its visit until Friday morning. He said that dense fogs were prevailing over the central and southern British Columbia coasts with valley fogs in the interior.

A Cartwright, Glasgow Avenue, a Saanich milkman, received painful cuts to his mouth and suffered from shock at 8.15 today when his car was in a collision in the fog on Quadra Street, Constable Victor Smith of the Saanich police reported.

The collision occurred between Mr. Cartwright's car and one belonging to John Walton, 3319 Quadra Street. Mr. Walton, police said, was backing from his driveway when the two cars came together. Both machines were smashed considerably. Mr. Cartwright was taken to Jubilee Hospital for treatment.

Marion Malmwaring, Brentwood, suffered a bad cut on the right side of her neck and a smaller cut on her face when her head smashed the windshield of a car driven by Gordon Whyte, Saanichton, when it hit a telephone pole on Quadra Street between Bay Street and Kings Road in the fog at 11.07 Wednesday night.

City police officers, Sergeant Roy Woolsey and Constables N. Bath and T. Banister, attended and took Miss Malmwaring to Jubilee Hospital where Dr. F. Bryant attended her injuries.

A third accident in the fog occurred at 8.45 Wednesday night at Johnson and Alston Streets in which a car driven by Samuel F. Francis, 631 Wilson Street, was struck by a hit-and-run car. The left rear fender of Mr. Francis' car was smashed. After the collision, Mr. Francis said, the driver of the other car turned out his lights and disappeared. A hubcap from the unknown car was found.

CYCLIST AIDS FIREMEN

A young cyclist, name unknown, saved the day for Oak Bay firemen when they were called out in the fog at 8.15 Wednesday night to a fire in the basement at the home of Marc Preiswerck, 2379 Central Avenue.

The cyclist rode in front of the responding fire engine guiding it to the fire which started from a furnace, and was extinguished before any great damage was done.

Gangs of boys who appeared to be enjoying the loss of visibility in noisv play in the 700 block of Kings Road, aroused the ire of residents of the area at 8.45 and 10.25 Wednesday night. Police were called to stop the disturb-

ance. Police were called also at 2.55 this morning to quiet a group of men who were creating a disturbance outside the Bristol Hotel.

The fog disrupted street car and bus schedules. Most buses and street cars were running late. Motorists likewise slowed their pace to avoid mishaps. Many cars were left on the streets all night by motorists who preferred to walk rather than take chances of being in an accident.

Hospital Wants Isolation Unit

A request that the city turn over to the Jubilee Hospital the isolation hospital located in the Richmond Road grounds, is contained in a letter from the hospital board received at the City Hall today.

"We offer for your consideration the question of turning over to the Royal Jubilee Hospital the property known as the Isolation Hospital, of which you are the owners," the letter stated.

"We find after very careful investigation that the hospital needs more room for hospital purposes. If the same is turned over to us we will have to make considerable alterations and repairs to the building and heating which will be of a considerable amount."

"At present Dr. Felton and Dr. Walker, the superintendent, have made a mutual arrangement for handling cases like smallpox in the small huts; this mutual arrangement will continue."

Pav Last Tribute To H. T. Ravenhill

A large congregation attended the memorial service held in Christ Church Cathedral Wednesday for Horatio Thomas Ravenhill. Bishop H. E. Sexton conducted the rites assisted by Rev. H. T. Archibald, Duncan, and Rev. Arthur Bischlager.

Among the many organizations represented were: Boy Scouts, T. H. Community Chest, Friendly Help Welfare Association, Council of Social Agencies, Navy League of Canada and Overseas League, with all of which Mr. Ravenhill had been actively identified.

The British Empire Club, of which Mr. Ravenhill was a charter member, was represented by the vice-president, Captain Wilfrid Ord, and the honorary secretary, Colonel W. Ridgeway Wilson.

Air Gun Vandals Breaking Lights

Young vandals with air guns were blamed by Walter McMicking, city electrician, today for approximately \$40 worth of destruction to city street lights in and around the Hillside area since last Friday.

The globes were being shot out, Mr. McMicking stated, noting the vandalism was reaching serious proportions in that district.

One motorist was fined \$10 for speeding and another was fined \$2.50 on a parking charge in City Police Court today.

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DELANEY—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Delaney (Anne Field), 565 Russell Street, son, Don, at St. Joseph's Hospital, on October 23. Both are very well.

LOST—TUESDAY NIGHT, TIMES CARRIER collection book between Colwood race track and Piping Bluff. Finder please return to Times office, reward.

HALLOWEEN DANCE, SOOKE HALL, Saturday, October 25. Fred Pitt's orchestra. Admission 50c. 4072-2-97.

Overnight Entries For Laurel Park

First race—About two miles steeplechase: Heliograph 134, Paddy 146, Greenhitch Time 146, Haven Honey 147, Stockwood 146, Glenna Mona 137, Worthing 131.

Second race—Six furlongs: Girtle Star 110, Damon 108, Seaway 110, West Ho 113, Post Haste 113, War Glen 112, Ask Aunt Ada 115, Flahugh 118, Hanafel 120, Bright Henrina 109, One Link 118, Wheat 113, Flying Height 113, Snareyow 118, Calarock 110, Dare 110.

Third race—Six furlongs: Westhrite 102, Syrus 106, Pomona 107, Macks Dream 103, Blue Twink 109, Glorious Time 110, Magic Stream 109, Peace Day 102, Fair Hero 111, Marce 111, Flying Plaid 106, Hobbit 117, Becomly 110, Flaming High 115.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Straight Lead 110, Seventh Day 103, Jay Jay 113, Battle Jack 108, Aaron Burr 104, Wexley A 104, High Hedge 115, Swynston 103, Red Wrack 105, True Call 105, Boreale 103.

Fifth race—Mile and 70 yards: Magician 105, Sweep Singer 118, Caduceus 118, Barona 118, Arthur C 118, Candle Stick 119, Trelawney 115.

Sixth race—Mile and 70 yards: Hi Sky 113, Jimson Belle 107, Lanceron 110, One Tip 108, Passing Cloud 110, Here Again 106, Migration 105, Mace Goshen 112.

Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Lady Mowles 103, Ballast Reef 113, Dorothy Pump 107, Lassar 115, Star Chance 117, Gourmet 111, Scrooge 110, Walter Light 111, Mighty 110, Miss Pixie 112, Panther Creek 112, Bain Marie 108, Legal Light 112, Iron Bar 110, Bogert 113, Miss Happy 109.

In order to continue distribution of \$1 monthly to nonpensioners at the Old Men's Home and 50 cents monthly to old men at nursing homes, W. H. Davies is asking for contributions from Victoria citizens. Besides the monthly distribution, the committee has arranged a picnic every summer and New Year's Day entertainment.

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Announcements

BIRTHS

KERR—To Gunner and Mrs. W. Kerr (nee Margaret Rogers), 120 George Road West, at Jubilee Hospital, October 21, a daughter, Diane.

DEATHS

McKAY—There passed away October 22, 1941, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Robert George McKay, infant of Mr. and Mrs. George McKay of 568 Bisset Street.

HOLMES—At the family residence, widow of Frederick James Holmes, 640 Moss Street, on October 22, 1941, Mrs. Florence Clara Holmes (nee Nurse Holmes), aged 65 years; born in Bourne Brook, Northfield, Worcestershire, England, and a resident of this city for 16 years. Survived by her mother and a sister in England, and a sister in Australia.

FUNERAL from Haywards' B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday at 3:30 o'clock, Rev. J. R. Pife officiating. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

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CORRECT BALLROOM DANCING at Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rosaly's. E4854.

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(Section 23)

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Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 17th day of October, 1941.

EDITH MARY WILSON
Applicant and Transferee.

Writ in Seattle

Beecham Denies He Owes Income Tax to Britain

SEATTLE (AP)—The King County (Seattle) sheriff's office today had a writ from the British government for service on Sir Thomas Beecham, erstwhile conductor of the London Philharmonic Orchestra, alleging that \$1,298 (approximately \$5,215) is due from him in income taxes.

Sir Thomas is currently conducting the Seattle Symphony Orchestra.

The writ calls on him to "cause an appearance to be entered for you" within 56 days in the King's remembrance of the department, Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London. It indicates he will not be required to appear in person within the time limit.

The document, dated June 19, 1941, was forwarded to the sheriff's office by a Seattle law firm.

Although the writ has not yet been served on Sir Thomas, he said he is "ignorant of any claim of any sort outstanding in Great Britain against me."

He said none of his legal advisers in England or this country had been advised of the action, and "I am at a total loss to understand how such a claim, instead of coming through channels familiar to everyone in the legal world of London, should suddenly appear in Seattle in the hands of a local firm of attorneys."

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Miriam Hopkins, who is co-starred with Errol Flynn in "Virginia City" at the York Theatre.

Where to Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—"Affectionately Yours," starring Merle Oberon.

CADET—Jean Arthur in "The Devil and Miss Jones."

RAILWAY HEADS URGE WAR SAVINGS

All employees of the two big Canadian railway systems are now being invited to exceed the excellent record made by them during the previous campaign for the purchase of war savings certificates. The chief executive officers of the Canadian National Railways and the Canadian Pacific Railway are taking a direct personal interest in the drive, Sir Edward Beatty and R. C. Vaughan having issued appeals to the individual members of the large staffs of the transportation organizations over which they preside.

Both companies are arranging for their employees to purchase war savings certificates by payroll deductions.

In his message Mr. Vaughan writes: "Idle dollars are a liability. At this time they should be set to work and one excellent way of doing so is to use your dollars for the purchase of war savings certificates. Your dollars when joined with those of your tens of thousands of fellow workers possess great power."

Sir Edward Beatty in his letter says: "It cannot be emphasized too strongly that to purchase war savings certificates is to serve. By saving, immediate and essential assistance is given to the country now while the saving represented by the amount so invested with accrued interest will be available later for your personal benefit."

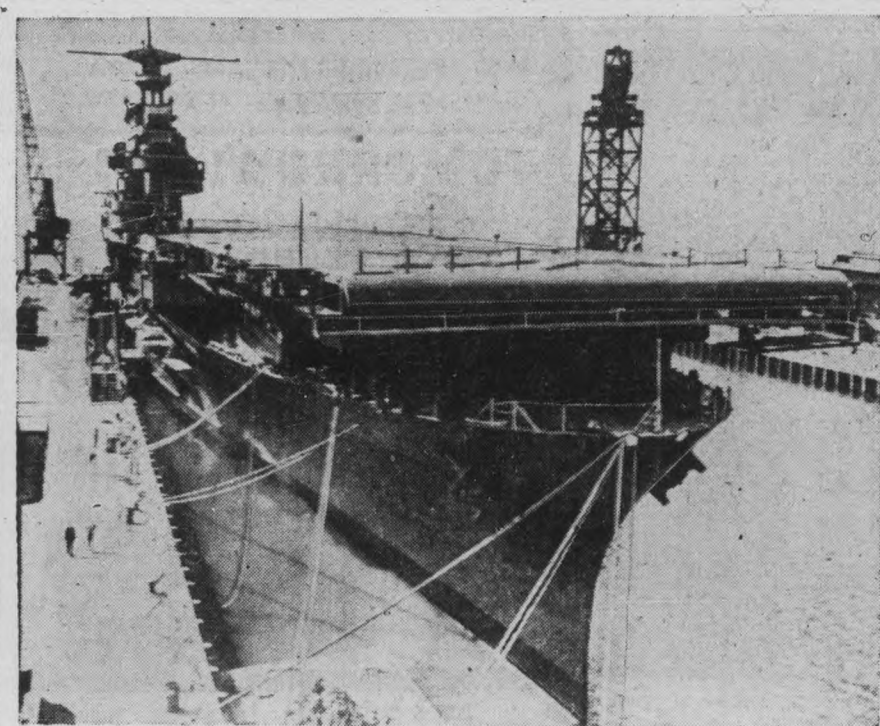
Schoolboys Relate Vivid Tale of Sea

HALIFAX (CP) — Two British schoolboys have vivid tales to tell of a five-hour battle their tanker put up against two German submarines, possibly sinking one of them. Four torpedo hits finally doomed their ships.

Raymond Hale, 17, of Lowestoft, Suffolk, and Joe McDonald, 18, of Ramsgate, Kent, were among 22 survivors of the tanker picked up by another ship. "I was aloft at the time," McDonald said. "When I saw something bobbing up and down some distance away, I yelled down on deck. The first torpedo struck. 'Nobody was injured, and with the next glimpse of the sub our gunner opened fire.' After that it was a battle of wits, they said, and the tanker zig-zagged in an attempt to elude the sub, which had submerged and was stalking them.

"When a second sub appeared we knew it was all up with us," Hale said. "But it was not until the captain and some of our officers were killed that we decided to abandon ship."

Two lifeboats carrying 32 of



UNCLE SAM'S MIGHTY CARRIER HORNET LOOKS LIKE A STINGER—The U.S. Hornet, new 760-foot 20,000-ton aircraft carrier looks mighty sleek in this picture at the naval operating base, Norfolk, Va., where it will be commissioned.

the 56-man crew managed to get away from the sinking craft, they said.

In the morning they sighted a floating mass and discovered it was their ship with only the bow above water. They were hauled from the ship and, drawing alongside, rescued two other members of the crew who had been given up for lost.

They said the men in the other lifeboat did not fare so well. Their boat was crushed against the side of the tanker and she sprang a leak.

The men had to sit in water above their waists, while others rowed and baled to keep her afloat. Twelve men in that boat died of exposure.

"After 12 hours in the boats we were picked up," McDonald said.

Tanker Auris Sunk

NEW YORK (AP) — The 8,030-ton British motorship tanker Auris, one of the ships carrying American oil to England, has been sunk in the North Atlantic, marine circles said yesterday.

They had no details, except that the ship was sunk by "enemy action."

Owned by the Anglo-Saxon Petroleum Company, the Auris was built in 1935, and her newness made her a valuable asset to the merchant navy.

Air Mail Increases

WINNIPEG — For the seventh successive month this year air mail carried by Trans-Canada Airlines over domestic and international routes shows an increase.

Figures released by O. T. Larson, vice-president, show 130,548 pounds of air mail were carried in September, an increase of 1,121 pounds over August and more than 50 per cent ahead of September, 1940.

Passengers during the month totaled 9,165, but 119 less than the peak month of August.

Tacoma Launching

TACOMA, Wash. (AP) — The 17,600-ton S.S. Steel Architect slipped down the ways of the Seattle-Tacoma shipbuilding yards Tuesday afternoon, the eighth large vessel and the heaviest to be launched here since the defence program started.

She was christened by Mrs. Walter M. Wells of New York City, whose husband is vice-president of the Isthmian Line, owners of the ship.

A C-3 freighter, she is 492 feet long. Hundreds of spectators watched as she floated for the first time.

Nearby, the hulls of two other freighters were nearing completion.

Canadian Wires Cannot Be Tapped

WINNIPEG — In wartime modern Canadian telegraphic equipment cannot be tapped in the manner used by enemy fifth columnist operators during the closing days of the campaign in France when army orders and instructions were picked off Morse telegraphic circuits by Germans using resonators, Donald Ross, Montreal manager, Canadian National telegraphs said tonight, when addressing a gathering of members of the "Idea" Club composed of employees of all departments of the Canadian National Railways.

Mr. Ross, whose subject was "Communication in Wartime," explained that a very large proportion of the circuits of the Canadian National Railways are operated by the carrier current system, briefly described as "wired wireless," he said. "Any-one endeavoring to break into a

carrier current system of transmission cannot by any means at present know what is being transmitted over the wire, since an effort would throw the circuit out of balance and the interference would cause the circuit to cease operation."

Mr. Ross said that if the French administration had developed their telegraph system along the methods employed in Canada, communications between the various army headquarters could not have been read by enemy tappers.

In the present day nearly 60 per cent of the everyday telegraphic business is transmitted by automatic circuits, while 30 years ago all transmission was by Morse over direct wires. In earlier days a Morse operator copying with a stylus had accuracy impressed upon his mind by being fined one-eighth of a day's pay for each undotted I or uncrossed "T." Today's accuracy depends upon proper maintenance and supervision of the machinery.

Bonds

(By Burns & Wainwright Ltd.)

Bid	Asked
Australia 4 1/2% 1956	82.00
Do. 5% 1955	84.00
British Columbia 4 1/2% 1957	99.50
Do. 4 1/2% 1952	102.00
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Manitoba 4 1/2% 1960	98.50
Do. 5 1/2% 1958	102.50
New Brunswick 4 1/2% 1961	104.00
Do. 5 1/2% 1958	102.50
Nova Scotia 4 1/2% 1952	108.50
Ontario 4 1/2% 1950	108.50
Quebec 4 1/2% 1958	101.50
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CORPORATION

Bid	Asked
B.C. Pulp 6 1/2% 1950	91.00
Brown Co. 5 1/2% 1946	68.50
Calgary Power 5 1/2% 1960	105.50
Canada Cement 4 1/2% 1951	103.50
Canada Steamship 5 1/2% 1957	100.50
C.P.R. 5% 1943	98.00
Do. 3 1/2% 1951	94.25
Domestic Tar 4 1/2% 1951	101.50
Famous Players 4 1/2% 1951	99.00
Gatineau Power 5 1/2% 1949	99.00
Maple Leaf 3 1/2% 1958	75.50
Massey Harris 4 1/2% 1954	81.00
McClure 4 1/2% 1954	103.50
Sherrill 4 1/2% 1951	102.00
Simpsons Ltd. 4 1/2% 1951	100.50
U. Grain Growers 5 1/2% 1948	95.50

DOMINION OF CANADA

Bid	Asked
5% November 1941	99 1/2%
5% October 1944	100 1/2%
4 1/2% October 1945	107 1/2%
4 1/2% October 1945-50	103 1/2%
4 1/2% February 1946	103 1/2%
3 1/2% June 1946-49	102 1/2%
3 1/2% October 1944-49	102 1/2%
3 1/2% June 1951 (V.I.)	99 1/2%
3 1/2% February 1948-52	101 1/2%
3 1/2% October 1949-52	98 1/2%
4% October 1947-52	106 1/2%
4% June 1950-55	98 1/2%
3 1/2% June 1953-58	98 1/2%
4 1/2% November 1948-58	108 1/2%
4 1/2% November 1949-59	108 1/2%
3 1/2% June 1956-66	93 1/2%
3 1/2% Perpetual	94 1/2%

New York Stocks

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock market leaders dabbled in fractions today and trends were hazy until the final half hour when steel, rails and aircrafts enjoyed modest convalescence.

Shares in the resistant class included U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, N.Y. central, Great Northern, Atlantic coast Line, United Aircraft, Boeing, Standard Oil (N.J.), Texas Corp., Philip Morris, J. I. Case and U.S. Rubber. Consolidated Aircraft made a new 1941 top.

Westinghouse and U.S. Gypsum slipped to new lows for the year, but eventually did better.

Among Canadian stocks Dome Mines lost 1/4 and Distillers Seagram 1/2. In the bond market Canada 4s were unchanged.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:
30 Industrials 120.47, off 0.09
20 rails 28.60, up 0.22
20 utilities 17.40, unchgd.
Total sales, 540,000.

Closing	Bid	Asked
Allied Chemicals	21-2	21-2
American Can	82-2	82-2
American Tobacco	68-7	68-7
Hollinger	134-5	134-5
American Tel. and Tel.	152-3	152-3
Atchafalpa Copper	26-2	26-2
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B. and O. Railway	3-7	3-7
Massy Harris	37-2	37-2
Bendix Aviation	37-2	37-2
Beih. Steel	62-3	62-3
Boring Aircraft	31-1	31-1
Borden	21-1	21-1
Borg Warner	26-6	26-6
C. P. R.	98-5	98-5
Cerro de Pasco	30-1	30-1
C. and O. Railway	38-5	38-5
Chrysler	56-6	56-6
Con. Edison	15-4	15-4
Do. 2nd	37-1	37-1
Crucible Steel	32-2	32-2
Curtiss Wright	8-5	8-5
Douglas Aircraft	28-6	28-6
Dupont	146-6	146-6
Eastman Kodak	138	138
General Electric	38-6	38-6
General Foods	41-2	41-2
General Motors	39-1	39-1
Grain Processing	4-4	4-4
Goodyear Tire	125	125
Great Northern	26-6	26-6
Int. Harvester	26-2	26-2
Int. Nickel	27-1	27-1
Kennecott Copper	32-4	32-4
Montgomery Ward	4-1	4-1
Nash-Kelvinator	10-7	10-7
New York Central	40-3	40-3
Commercial Alcohol	2-3	2-3
Phillips Petroleum	44-4	44-4
Pullman	34-4	34-4
Republic Steel	17-6	17-6
Rockwell	42-1	42-1
Safeway Stores	43-1	43-1
Standard Oil N.J.	42-1	42-1
Southern Pacific	12-1	12-1
Studebaker	41-2	41-2
United Aircraft	28-6	28-6
Texas Gulf	34-3	34-3
Union Carbide	72-2	72-2
United Oil Cal	15-3	15-3
United Pacific	72-2	72-2
U.S. Smelting	15-3	15-3
U.S. Rubber	24-3	24-3
U.S. Steel	53	53
Western Union	29-6	29-6
Woolworth	36-3	36-3
Yellow	15-3	15-3
U.S. Gas Imp.	6-6	6-6
U.S. Smelting	15-3	15-3
Zenith Radio	5-7	5-7

Industrials Down

MONTREAL (CP) — Prices were generally marked down in light-selling movement today on the stock market. Turnover was the poorest for some time.

Brazilian and Shawinigan were softer while Imperial was a slight winner.

Down among industrials were Hamilton Bridge, Dominion Bridge and Canadian Industrial Alcohol B. Noranda receded.

(By James Richardson & Sons)

Bid	Asked
Algonia Steel com.	10 1/2
Do. pfd.	16 1/2
Associated Brewers com.	16 1/2
Do. pfd.	11 1/2
Bathurst Paper	13 1/4
Building Products	13 1/4
Canada Northern Power	13 1/4
Canada Steamships	2 1/2
Do. pfd.	27 1/2
Canadian Alcohol A	3 1/4
Canada Car and Foundry	2 1/2
Do. pfd.	22 1/2
Canadian Celanese com.	26 1/2
Do. pfd.	12 1/2
Canadian Converters	17 1/4
O.P.R. com.	6 1/4
Cockshutt Flow	38 1/2
Consolidated Smelters	38 1/2
Crown Cork	38 1/2
Distillers Seagrams com.	23 1/2
Dominion Bridge	23 1/2
Dominion Coal pfd.	18 1/2
Dominion Steel and Coal B	7 1/4
Dominion Tar	8 1/2
Do. pfd.	27 1/2
Dominion Textiles	72 1/2
Gatineau Power pfd.	6 1/4
General Steel Works Com.	3 1/4
Hollinger	134 1/2
Howard Smith	134 1/2
Do. pfd.	134 1/2
Hudson Bay M. & S.	29 1/2
International Nickel	34 1/2
International Petroleum	14 1/2
Lake of the Woods	19 1/2
Montreal Harris	11 1/2
Montreal Cottons pfd.	23 1/2
Montreal Power	23 1/2
National Breweries	34 1/2
National Steel Car	34 1/2
Noranda	52 1/2
Oakville	52 1/2
Cerro de Pasco	30 1/2
Ottawa Power	5 1/4
Pennam	5 1/4
Power Corporation	52 1/2
Price Bros.	11 1/2
Do. pfd.	11 1/2
Rolland Paper	68 1/2
St. Lawrence Corp. pfd.	16 1/2
St. Lawrence Paper pfd.	38 1/2
Sherwin Williams	66 1/2
Do. pfd.	66 1/2
United Steel	4 1/4
Can. Investment Fund ad.	35 1/2
CURB	100 1/2
Abitibi	100 1/2
Do. pfd.	100 1/2
Bathurst B.	2 1/2
Brewers and Distillers	2 1/2
Canada and Dominion Sugar	22 1/2
Canada Maltine	27 1/2
Canada Vinegars	135 1/2
Do. pfd.	135 1/2
Canadian Vickers	31 1/2
Commercial Alcohol	2 1/2
Consolidated Paper	3 1/2
Dominion A	40 1/2
Fairchild	21 1/2
Steel Aircraft	2 1/2
Ford A	17 1/2
Fraser Company	12 1/2
International Paint com.	2 1/2
Do. pfd.	43 1/2
McCull Frontenac pfd.	90 1/2
Page Hervey	103 1/2
Royal Oil	22 1/2
Hiram Walker	42 1/2
Do. pfd.	19 1/2
BANKS	
Commerce	148 1/2
Montreal	158 1/2
Nationale	143 1/2

Home Down to 2.25

TORONTO (CP) — Golds slumped in moderate selling today on Toronto exchange. Western oils were dull and steady throughout the session. Volume was down to about 150,000 shares.

Three senior golds, Lake Shore, Dome and Teck-Hughes, traded at their lowest figures in about nine years and a group of secondary issues were offered at sizeable declines. Malartic Gold Fields traded nearly 20,000 shares and declined 15 to 2.22 while losses of 4 to 8 cents were netted by Mining Corporation, East Malartic, Sylvanite, O'Brien, San Antonio and Upper Canada.

Slight weakness developed in base metals.

Light trading marked the action in industrials but the balance of price changes held to the upside in steels, foods and senior oils. Consumers Gas headed the weak group with a loss of 3 to 125.

Home Oil dropped 5 to 2.25 and minor gains appeared for Highwood-Sarcee and Brown Oil.

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)

Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	148 1/2
B.C. Oil	17 1/2
B.C. Power A	24 1/2
Burlington Steel	7 1/2
Canadian Pacific	21 1/2
Comcos Imp. Mfg.	21 1/2
Cons. Paper	3 1/2
Dominion Bridge	22 1/2
Dom. Steel and Coal B	7 1/2
Ford Canada	17 1/2
Gatineau Power 5% fd.	72 1/2
Goodyear Tire	5 1/4
Imperial Oil	77 1/2
Int. Metall. Indus.	12 1/2
Int. Metall. Indus. 6% pfd.	96 1/2
Do. A	9 1/2
Int. Petroleum	14 1/2
Montreal L. H. and P.	23 1/2
Moore Corp.	42 1/2
Nat. Steel Car	32 1/2
Shawinigan W. and P.	15 1/2
Steel of Canada	65 1/2
Hiram Walker G. and W.	43 1/2

(By Hager Investments Ltd.)

Bid	Asked
Aunor	183 1/2
Broilair	68 1/2
Canadian Malartic	54 1/2
Central Patricia	155 1/2
Couchesour W.	65 1/2
Dome Mines	164 1/2
East Malartic	212 1/2
Eldorado	35 1/2
McClure	240 1/2
God's Lake	28 1/2
Gunnar Gold	24 1/2
Hardrock	72 1/2
Hollinger	11 1/2
Hudson Bay Mining	26 1/2
Jason	38 1/

OUR BOARDING HOUSE, with Major Hoople



Boots and Her Buddies



Wash Tubs



Mr. and Mrs.



Alley Oop



Freckles and His Friends

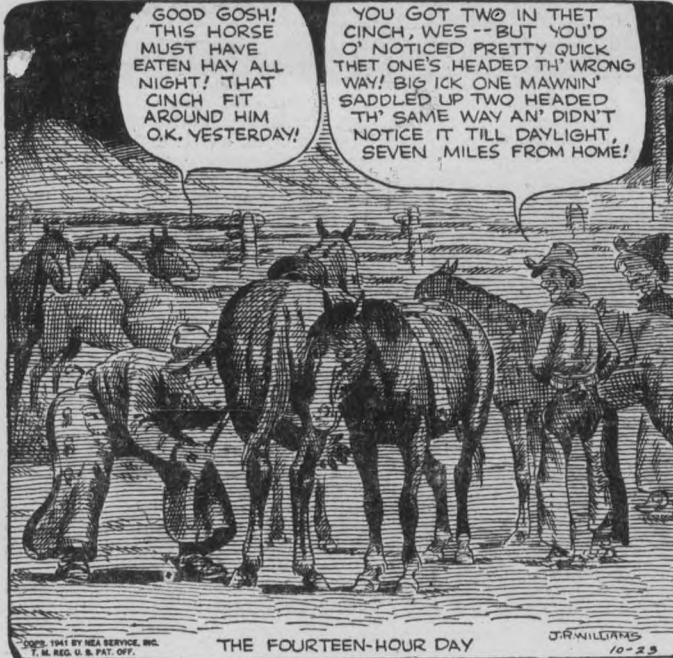


Bringing Up Father



OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover



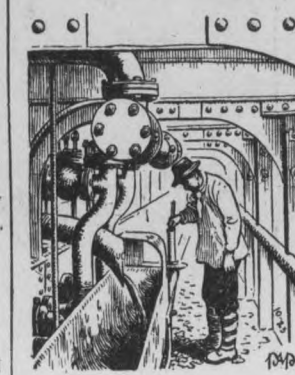
By George McManus



Uncle Ray

Chile Saltpeter Goes Into Explosives

The long, narrow country called Chile plays a part in the making of explosives. It produces each year thousands of tons of "Chile saltpeter," also called "sodium nitrate." This substance goes into gunpowder, nitroglycerin and other things which will blow up.



Chile worker "running off" solution in treatment of saltpeter.

Saltpeter is taken from the soil of other countries, chiefly India and Iran, but Chile saltpeter holds first place in the world's commerce. It is obtained from great beds in dry parts of Chile. The material in the beds is treated before the saltpeter is ready for export.

Nitroglycerin is made by mixing saltpeter and sulphuric acid with glycerin. The mixture when pure is a heavy, oily liquid with hardly more color than water. It has a sweet taste, but a person should not taste it—since it is poisonous.

If the liquid is heated to a point well above the boiling point of water it will explode. Usually it is set off by use of an explosive fuse.

Quart for quart, it is 13 times as explosive as gunpowder. An idea of its power is given by the fact that one quart of it, when exploded, will set free 10,000 quarts of gas. This happens in a big hurry, and explains the damage which can be done.

Nitroglycerin has a place in medicine. Some doctors use it in treating heart disease, asthma and other illness.

People who handle the oily explosive take great care. If they did not do so, very likely they would not live to tell the tale. A strong jar can set it off.

A Swedish scientist named Alfred Nobel found a way to make nitroglycerin less dangerous. He mixed it with a certain kind of soil, and called his product "dynamite." Since Nobel's day, dynamite has been greatly improved. A modern way of making it is by mixing wood pulp with nitroglycerin. Dynamite can be carried around with little danger of explosion.

Saltpeter and glycerin also go into powder which hurls bullets and shells on the battlefield.

One main reason explains the motion of a bullet from a rifle or a shell from a 16-inch cannon. That reason is the gas produced when powder is exploded.

The exploding powder needs more room. It has to push something out of the way, and the thing pushed is the bullet or shell. It is possible for a gun barrel to burst, but that very seldom happens in modern warfare.

HOROSCOPE

OCTOBER 24

Adverse aspects are in the ascendant today. Jealousy and suspicion may lead to quarrels. Gossip may cause trouble. It is a poor time to set out on a trip or undertake new projects. Persons whose birthdate it is the augury of an interesting year. Children born on this day may be ambitious and clever.

Better English

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "They occupied the two first rows."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "padrone"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Leisurely, lelu, liege.
4. What does the word "environment" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with di that means "unduly timid"?

Answers
1. Say, "the first two rows." There may be many twos, but only one first. 2. Pronounce padro-na, first a as in an, o as in no, second a as in ate unstressed, accent second syllable. 3. Liege. 4. Whatever encompasses; one's surroundings or circumstances collectively. "Everything that is, is the ordered and calculable result of environment."—Arnold Bennett. 5. Diffident.

The oldest known manuscript of the Bible is in the Vatican at Rome.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: Charles Lutwidge Dodgson.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—While going to school I met a girl considerably older than myself who well in love with me and who is driving me to desperation by her determination to marry me against my will. I have told her that I do not love her, but she keeps pursuing me. I have left town when I knew she was coming to see me and have constantly dated other girls, but she is still unshaken in her purpose to marry me. How much does a man have to put up with from a girl and still be a gentleman?

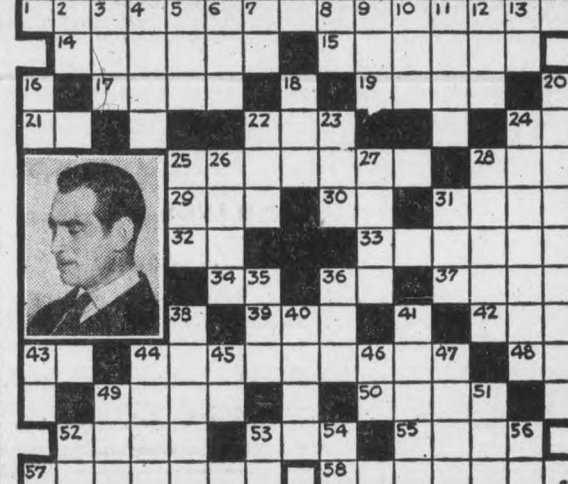
ROBERT.

Answer: So far as I am aware, no etiquette authority has laid down any rules, either ethical or chivalrous, to guide the conduct of a young man who is being pursued by a woman who is determined to drag him to the altar, no matter how balky he is. Apparently in such cases the female of the species is more deadly than the male, as Mr. Kipling justly observed. For while it is comparatively easy for a girl to discourage even the most ardent suitor and induce him to give up the love chase, when once a woman sets her amorous eyes upon a man and marks him for her own it is about as easy for him to escape death or taxation as it is to get out of her clutches.

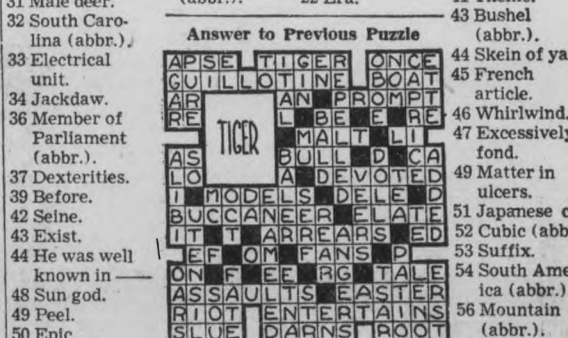
One of the reasons why men have bitterly opposed giving women the right to pop the question is that they have felt that somehow they would be bound to marry the girls who proposed to them. They have sensed that there would be some sort of occult compulsion in the matter that would be their doom.

DOROTHY DIX.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



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|----------------------------------|--|----------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|
| HORIZONTAL | 1 Pictured late screen star. | 52 Curse. | 8 Italian river. | 23 Disenclumber. |
| 14 Mend. | 15 Greasers. | 17 Slant. | 19 Roman philosopher. | 21 Article. |
| 22 Atmosphere. | 24 Street (abbr.). | 25 He was — by birth. | 28 Station (abbr.). | 29 Born. |
| 30 Act. | 31 Male deer. | 32 South Carolina (abbr.). | 33 Electrical unit. | 34 Jackdaw. |
| 36 Member of Parliament (abbr.). | 37 Dexterities. | 39 Before. | 42 Seine. | 43 Exist. |
| 44 He was well known in — | 48 Sun god. | 49 Peel. | 50 Epic. | |
| VERTICAL | 2 Measure of area. | 3 Encountered. | 4 Narrative poem. | 5 Salt. |
| 6 Perch. | 7 Transpose (abbr.). | 22 Era. | 13 Bone. | 16 Calcium (symbol). |
| 18 Sesame. | 20 He was a — in England before coming to America. | 22 Era. | 26 Body part. | 27 Alkaline unctuous substance. |
| 28 Severe. | 31 Mineral spring. | 35 Snaky fish. | 36 Cat's cry. | 38 Telegraph code. |
| 40 Cereal grain (pl.). | 41 Theme. | 43 Bushel (abbr.). | 44 Skein of yarn. | 45 French article. |
| 46 Whirlwind. | 47 Excessively fond. | 49 Matter in ulcers. | 51 Japanese coin. | 52 Cubic (abbr.). |
| 53 Suffix. | 54 South American (abbr.). | 56 Mountain (abbr.). | | |



R.C.A.F. Man Killed
CALGARY (CP)—L.A.C. R. W. Burns of Toronto, R.C.A.F. student flier, was killed instantly early today when his plane struck a tractor on Currie Field as he was landing after a solo night flight. The plane was badly damaged.
A \$6,000 expedition once was made from England to central Africa to obtain a female specimen of the butterfly *Drurya antimachus*.

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U.S. Aid Steadily Grows
As Industry Speeds Up

WASHINGTON (AP) — Defence officials predicted today United States war supplies will be following in greatly-increased amounts to Axis opponents all over the world in another six months.

Already, supplies—both of the Lease-Lend and cash variety—are moving from America's rapidly expanding "arsenal" to China to help build a railroad supply line supplementing the Burma truck route; to Britain for all purposes, to the Middle East, the Netherlands East Indies, Russia, the Free French forces, the Polish war recruits in Ontario training centres.

But the real magnitude and nature of the vast program, defence officials said, will begin to be realized only when American production takes the sharp curve upward expected next spring as big factories hit a high-speed mass production tempo and the volume of supplies is swelled by the output of small plants and machine shops being lined up for orders.

HOW GOODS DIVIDED

The following world areas are benefiting from Lease-Lend and other forms of American aid:

China—Approximately \$15,000,000 of Lease-Lend supplies—rolling stock and road-bed materials—are just beginning to flow to China to go toward construction of a railroad from Burma to an undisclosed point in the Chinese interior. This will supplement the Burma road—truck highway—that has served as the sole southern supply route for China since her seaports were closed by the Japanese.

While details have been withheld, it is understood Britain has

started a section of this railroad to the southern Chinese border and the Chinese will extend it some 300 miles northward through mountainous territory.

Manufacturing equipment, raw materials and planes also are going to China; an American military mission has been named; and technicians, road builders and truckers have been there and returned.

Britain—Ships, tanks, planes, ammunition and other supplies are moving there in steadily-growing amounts.

OIL FOR RUSSIA

Russia—American oil is moving to Vladivostok across the Pacific despite Japanese protests.

Middle East—American supplies are moving there in substantial volume, and are expected to pick up. Drafting of Pan-American Airways to ferry planes across the South Atlantic to Africa and thence to the Suez area are expected to prove an important factor.

Netherlands East Indies—In the face of Japanese cries of "encirclement," American planes and small arms and other supplies are moving there for cash.

Free French—Officials say American Lease-Lend supplies are going indirectly through the British to Gen. Charles de Gaulle's forces, as well as other unnamed beneficiaries in the same manner.

Exiled government of Poland—The President announced last week he had authorized the transfer of Lease-Lend guns and other supplies for Polish volunteers training at Owen Sound and Windsor, Ont., for "action overseas" in fighting to regain independence from Germany.

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Dunkirk Commander
Seized for Defying Darlan

LISBON—Gen. Decorel de la Laurencie, commander of the French 85th Army Corps during the Battle of Dunkirk and a trusted aide of Marshal Henri Philippe Petain since the Franco-German armistice, has been arrested for defying Vice-Premier Darlan, it was learned from an authoritative source here today.

In a letter to Darlan, the general bluntly declared he had "no confidence in the generosity of our conquerors" and that France's only hope for freedom was in the success of the Anglo-American bloc thwarting Hitler's plans for a new European order.

Darlan ordered the general's arrest after copies of the letter were widely circulated in unoccupied France, where they aroused considerable comment and added further difficulties to the increasing dissension which has been plaguing French collaborationists during recent weeks.

The Darlan-de la Laurencie trouble started when Darlan reprimanded the general for being too friendly with Admiral William D. Leahy, United States ambassador at Vichy, and for expressing pro-British sentiments at a private dinner.

Gen. de la Laurencie refused to accept the reprimand and Darlan removed him from his post as a member of the French National Council, to which the general had been named by Marshal Petain.

Then the general wrote his letter. In it he reiterated his friendly sentiments toward Britain and informed the Vice-Premier that his relations with Admiral Leahy were personal and in no way related to his position. He told Darlan that if his removal from the National Council was ordered by Marshal Petain he awaited an opportunity to make an explanation to the Chief of State "whom I always served and will continue to serve with absolute devotion."

All that France can expect from Germany, the general wrote, "is the certainty of servitude for

many generations, for despite the outlook promised for collaboration, which has never been definitely defined, I have no confidence in the generosity of our conquerors."

Gen. de la Laurencie accused Darlan of plotting with the Germans to make the French fleet, which Darlan commands, the nucleus of "a powerful European navy."

"I do not only hope for but expect a British victory," the general said, "moreover, I share this opinion with a great majority of my fellow citizens, whether in the free zone or the unoccupied zone."

The general then criticized the bias of French official government statements and said it would be more dignified and increase the nation's stature in the eyes of the enemy if more severity and frankness was observed.

"At some future date each nation will bring before the tribunal of history a dossier of diplomatic and military activities and it is for the dossier of France that I wish to hand in this letter so that at the proper time it will serve as justification for my country and, if necessary, for me."

Since the fall of France, Gen. de la Laurencie has been acting as commander of the 16th Military Region. He also served as Marshal Petain's general delegate in Paris for four months.

WOULD FIGHT JAPAN

CHAIRMAN ANDREW MAY (Dem.-Ky.) of the House of Representatives military affairs committee called in Washington for immediate action by the United States to "bring Japan to her knees."

"There ought not to be any further delay or dilly-dallying about it," he said in an interview. "We should have stepped in 10 years ago when Japan moved into Manchuria."

The 20-ton dinosaur, Diplodocus, had only about one-quarter of an ounce of brain to control each ton of its body.

What Hitler Said
2 Years Ago

From Ottawa Journal
Hitler on September 1, 1939, at the opening of the war, said this, for instance:

"My love of peace and my endless patience must not be mistaken for weakness, much less for cowardice. . . . Germany has no interests in the west, the west wall is for all time to come the frontier of the Reich. . . . The neutral states have assured us of their neutrality. This assurance we consider a sacred obligation, and as long as no one infringes on their neutrality we too shall painstakingly observe it."

That is to be read now in the light of what happened to Denmark, the Netherlands, Belgium, Norway—all states which adhered so rigidly to their neutrality as to make their destruction inevitable when the Huns marched in.

Hitler, less than two years ago, discussed Germany and Russia, said they had resolved:

"... to enter into an agreement which will exclude any application of force between us in the future. . . . This decision is absolutely final. . . . In the Great War Russia and Germany fought against each other. That will never happen again."

So solemn a pledge meant nothing whatever to Hitler when he decided the time had come to turn against the Soviet Union the weapons of his treachery. No more binding would be his more recent declaration that he has no designs against the Americas.

Finally, Hitler had this to say about the German leadership: "Should anything happen to me in this war my first successor shall be party-member Goering. Should anything happen to party-member Goering his successor shall be party-member Hess."

Goering now is reported in disgrace, confined to one of his castles. Hess is a prisoner of war in Britain, a renegade Nazi or a deluded one—we do not yet know the facts.

But Hitler, the chief gangster, still rides the whirlwind. Intrigue, assassination, treachery have raised him to a dizzy eminence among the great criminals of the world. This man who wades through the blood of Europe and gloats over destruction will come to a fitting end—of that we need have no doubt.

People in the News

THOMAS JOINS UP

EVAN W. THOMAS, 21-year-old son of Norman Thomas, Socialist leader, has resigned from the senior class at Princeton University to join the American field service under British jurisdiction in the Far East.

"This is something I feel is the right thing to do," Thomas said. "My father did not advise me, but now that I have taken the step he is backing my decision."

SEES NAZI SPLIT

DR. HERMANN RAUSCHNING, former president of the Danzig senate, said in New York he believes the only hope for an overthrow of the National Socialist Party in Germany is in a coup d'etat.

"There is no real unity in Germany," he said. "The unity is forced. It is quite possible for a split between the army and the Gestapo. I have been waiting for it for two years. There is no sympathy lost between the two." Dr. Rauschning said he was certain a peace with Hitler would be only momentary because National Socialism believes in waging war for world domination.

'CARE AND LOVE'

GEOFFREY SHAKESPEARE, chairman of the children overseas reception board, said in Montreal he had not realized until he came to Canada "the extent to which foster parents have lavished care and love" on guest children from Britain. He said he could not return to Britain "without putting on record by deep sense of indebtedness to all those who have discharged their trust in so royal a manner."

SECOND FRONT

HUGH DALTON, Minister of Economic Warfare, in London, criticized public promptings for creation of a second front against Germany.

"If those who talk of opening up a western front would spend more time in devoting the utmost effort to producing the equipment required, they would be better serving their own cause," he said.

He added that the people of Germany and Italy "sooner or later" would turn in wrath against Hitler and Mussolini.

"And the sooner they do so, the better," he said.

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